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WHEN the CRADLE is EMPTY NATIONS FEAR

Alarm in France and England Over Lowering Birth Rate



With such a tiny youngster
rest British hopes.



Look like this
in sunny France.

WITHIN the short period of five years the scornful pity vouchsafed by Europe's leading nations to the United States for this country's neglect of the prime duty of a people—race propagation—has changed to a sudden, desperate searching of hearts and statistics on their own account.

It is no longer, "The shameful race suicide of the Americans." It is, "Why are our own cradles empty?"

The empty cradle! In teeming Europe that vacant nest is now appalling governments, while whole peoples stand aghast at dwindling numbers, even as a generation ago they stood dismayed in the presence of too many.

Germany alone sees her cradles full. She stands, a growing giant, among neighbors who dread her in the process of their dwindling.

Russia, slumbering amid the smoldering fires of her slumbering revolution, sees innumerable sickly infants born and perish. Her uncouth millions take no census of them beyond the surmise that they vanish as the herds do from the steppes. Where there is too little food there is ever too little life.

Italy, in the south, perceives her children born and sees the cradle robbed by disease that ample nourishment could amply balk.

England, from having taken huge pride in her virtue as a welcoming parent, is crying out in horror of infanticide and is questioning "infant insurance" as though it were a babe-devouring Moloch; yet her true weakness is identical with that of France.

France is held up, by her own legislators in her own eyes, as the horrible example, out of all the world, in race suicide.

Is it to be a childless or a Teutonic Europe?

VAST throngs assembled. Men and women, for the most part middle-aged, struggled toward the church steps. Mad with excitement, they looked on with curious curiosity, they bent one another with their clenched fists, striving to fight to the center.

"Is the aged Dreyfus again being assassinated?" I asked the muscular butcher beside me.

He spoke not, but hit me between the eyes with the butt of his fist. It was his reply to the question that had cost him a forward step.

I dug an elbow into his abdomen. I did not turn to see him sink under the disabling stroke. The frenzy had seized upon me. Kicking, striking, rending, I forced my way into the heart of a group of impromptu allies who, cohering, crashed onward to the very doors of the edifice.

There we beheld the marvel which all blase Paris had flocked to see.

It was a first French baby. From the French of Philippe Canaille.

FRENCHMEN of today perceive no exaggeration in that graphic sketch of the imaginary future. They read it and remark, thoughtfully:

"It is possible—perhaps even probable."

Publication of the vital statistics of the nation during 1907 has left France worse than worried. She is despairing.

There were only 774,000 births last year. There were 793,000 deaths. For seven years the French birthrate has decreased at the rate of 12,000 a year.

In 1907 it decreased 33,000, nearly three times as many.

Within a century the births in the French nation have fallen from 1,007,000 a year to less than three-fourths the rate that let her conquer Europe.

France gazes at her Paris, with its fashions that dominate the world, its art which gives the tone to all judgments of the beautiful, its saturnalism of liaisons and of wit; France gazes at her provinces, with their shrewdly tilled acreage and their comfortable wealth; France gazes abroad at her possessions; and France winces in apprehension amid every glance of pride.

For how shall she remain supreme in art, retain her colonies, or even stay strong enough to keep her acres from following Alsace and Lorraine into some hungry foreign maw, unless she produce the babes who, in the darkening future, are destined to be herself.

The France of today beherits herself weak; she sees the France of tomorrow weaker; but the France of the future she sees unborn.

It needed a startling sermon, from the lips of the American who instantly commands the attention of civilized peoples, to direct public scrutiny to the national avision of racial duty; and, what with the land's drawing advantages of

resources and government, its allurements of the best populations the Old World has still to spare, suffices to maintain a growth that remains the envy of the nations.

With France only the bare figures and the bare, abortive remedies proposed have edged beyond the reserve of a people unanimous in their endeavor to conceal their recreancy. But that has been enough.

Confessed before the world, brilliant, audacious, economical, prudent France stands exposed in the nakedness of its cradles, furnished with all the essentials of a now-fallen develop-

ing race, from layettes to nourishment, unfurnished with that one essential which is indispensable, the baby.

And always, at her very door, thrives the dreaded menace of the ancient and steadily expanding foe, Germany. The land of the kaiser takes in her statistics of population a pride equal to the humiliation with which France contemplates hers. She announces them with haughty superiority.

The German empire, at the time of its formation, had 40,000,000 inhabitants. France, at the time, had between 38,000,000 and 39,000,000, a difference which, for all practical purposes, was actual equality.

In 1905 the population of Germany had increased to more than 60,000,000. At the beginning of 1907 it had reached 61,500,000. In the fifteen years between 1890 and 1905 Germany added to her population 11,000,000 human beings.

France, within the same period, had advanced only a puny million. The German ratio of increase was more than a dozen times that of the French.

Now the German empire has 22,000,000 more than France, an advance of 50 per cent. A dozen years, and the relative rates of increase will have given Germany a preponderance amounting to 30,000,000—perhaps more than that, for the French net total of population, now made public, shows that the deaths are at last coming to exceed the births; that the nation, like a plant, for years able to maintain

barely its original numbers, is dying out with the generation that was originally too weak to increase and thrive.

"A little further on," the German publicists boast, "say, twenty-five years hence, the German population will be double that of France; for every passing year the figures of population change to the greater advantage of the German empire."

"In France," they declare, with all truth, "there is a remarkable lack of soldiers and laborers. Although the requirements of the military service have been considerably modified from time to time, it is increasingly difficult to fill the regular quota of the army on a peace footing. In a few years it will be wholly impossible."

"Only that nation whose population is on the increase will be able, in decades to come, to hold its own in the universal competition for political and economical influence."

The analysis of French society, last made upon the basis of the exact count of the population as being 38,000,733, afforded some striking hints of the causes that are operating for the elimination of the French from among the world's peoples.

Females are markedly in excess of males, numbering 19,633,891 as against 18,816,899. Widows and divorced women constitute an army of 2,384,807; divorced men and widowers are less than half the number, only 1,006,384.

There are 9,781,117 families; but 1,314,733 of these "families" are without children, while 2,249,337 have but one child and 2,018,665 have the two that, apparently sufficient to maintain the normal of population, are in reality absolutely inadequate, because a large percentage of children perish before reaching the stage of reproduction in their turn.

Among two-thirds of the French families the average number of children does not exceed three; and even that does not suffice to maintain the standard; this year's returns show deaths 10,000 in excess of births.

Sociologists, studying these figures, in their quest after the very cause, have discovered it in the strangest of all anomalies.

Upon France, nearly a century after his terrible activities ceased in their exercise, rests the crushing curse of her worshiped Napoleon.

Creating an empire by a series of conflicts which drained the land of all the strongest virility that remained, so that after the sensuality of its nobles and the oppression of its peasants, he sought to perpetuate it by plagiarizing from Montesquieu an idea of government which was destined inevitably to deprive the conquerors of the very warriors they needed to hold in subjection the kingdoms they had acquired. It was as though, having rounded up a den of tigers, he had planned to reduce the number of keepers until none should be left to wield the whip of government.

Into the fundamental law of France he injected the requirement of a division of the property of the parents at death, among all their children. It seemed to mean complete equality of all in the family in their start in the race for fortune.

The real effect became apparent within two generations. A paternal inheritance sufficient for one heir was poverty for many heirs. The couple who could discern no reasonable hope of

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GIRL OF 9 Admits 40 Burglaries

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By BETTY MARTIN.

Charles Swickard, baritone singer and stage manager at Idora Park, brings to this position enthusiasm, experience and ideals. He hopes to make Idora Park the home of light opera—the music center of the West.

"All I ask," said he, "is hearty support and co-operation. I believe that people are tired of so many musical burlesques and comedies. That they would patronize the operas had they the opportunity."

"But," questioned I, "could you produce them at Idora Park, under, say, present conditions?"

"Why not?" demanded Mr. Swickard. "We have the tenor and soprano, Thomas Pease and Edith Mason, both with years of operatic training. Edith Mason is in better voice now than she has been for years."

"And Bernice Holmes?"

"Yes. She has a fine voice, too, and is a Grand Opera singer."

"But always gets such abominable parts. Why?"

Soprano and Tenor.

"Everything," responded Mr. Swickard, smilingly. "Is written for the tenor and the soprano."

"I wonder why?"

"On the same principle that angels are always pictured with blue eyes and golden hair."

Which brings to mind a remark of Nordica's. "The man with a tenor voice," said she, "owns a gold mine." And the golden showers following soprano singers are a matter of history. But this is only a divergence. Mr. Swickard is in earnest. He wants accomplishment to follow his plans.

"There are in New York," stated he, "dozens of singers I know. I would only have to touch a wire and any one of 'em'd be here."

"But," protested I, "Mr. Hartman told me that it was impossible to obtain trained singers."

One Look Enough.

A look from the new manager caused me to refrain from continuing. "I can get all I want. Besides, at Idora now—just as the company is, we can produce magnificent finales. I was astonished at the effect which can be made with proper training."

"Then, too, there's Paul Steindorf. He's a great—a wonderfully thorough musician and leader."

So much for the material at hand and within call.

Mr. Swickard himself is no stranger. He made his Pacific Coast reputation chiefly as baritone singer at the San Francisco Tivoli. But he has added to the achievement of an actor and producer of plays. It was Mr. Swickard who adapted from the German that much discussed play of the great German author, Sudermann—"The Fires of St. John." To Mr. Swickard also are we indebted for the English version of that splendid success, "Taps," which had a four years' run in Germany and one of one hundred and fifty nights in London.

Associated With Shubert.

"I was associated for many years with Shubert," explained Mr. Swickard, "until his death, which I continue to regard as a public calamity. It is a chance circumstance only which brought Mr. Swickard to California just now. I discovered by questioning."

"Did you come here specially for the purpose of managing the Idora Opera House?"

"From the great centers?" expostulated Mr. Swickard, shooting me a swift glance from his grey-blue eyes. "Oh, no! But it was the summer season, and when they offered me the position."

"You," came the involuntary interruption. "You?"

Mr. Swickard bowed assent.

Summer Employment.

"Not but what I'd like to stay—if it could be arranged. I only happened to be in California because I had been sent for. My wife spent the winter here for her health, and became so ill they sent for me. Then followed, two months later, this offer."

"An American?"

Mr. Swickard smiled at the idea. "No. I'm a native of Germany. I come from the Moselle country—the most beautiful of all the Rhine. I'm a native of the little town of Alf. When I was sixteen my father brought us all to America. We went to Iowa, and my brothers and myself—I've an elder brother with a beautiful voice—created a sensation by singing in the public schools. It took me only a few months to learn to speak English."

Actor and Judge.

But it was not long before Mr. Swickard elected to follow the stage. He is both actor and singer. In addition to having literary and managerial ability. He has written a musical comedy, not yet produced, and several short musical acts, suitable for vaudeville performances. To his credit also is a comedy in blank verse.

"Why," suggested I, "don't you get together some good readers, and give it, minus costumes and scenery?"

"Nothing would please me better, had I the time. But," sighed Mr. Swickard, "one always has to keep working—working, to meet the demands upon one's finances."

"Possibly"—it's so easy to be philosophical at another's expense—"it's all for the best, this necessity for working. You might be like so many others—a dreamer."

Always a Worker.

But Mr. Swickard didn't concur. He inclined to the belief that he'd still work. And wouldn't he like to own an independent theater.

"I'd make money out of it, too!" declared he. This at the end of a lengthy discussion regarding managers, plays, play actors and theatrical critics. And Mr. Swickard set forth some highly interesting views. He traces the slang of the day directly to the stage. To those vaudeville skits and musical what you call "ems so popular with a certain class of the public. Also to this source does Mr. Swickard attribute the growing disrespect of youth toward old age. And the critics come in for their share of censure. "Why don't they come boldly out," questioned Mr. Swickard, "and condemn plays which are unworthy? If they'd only tell the truth as they see it." In short, Mr. Swickard believes that the public needs an uplift, and that the critics should be the ones to attempt this reformation.

Afraid of Clean Plays.

"Managers," declared Mr. Swickard, "would be only too glad to present good, clean plays. But they're afraid to. They judge results by the box office. Time and again do they return manuscripts with some such comment, 'I like your play, but fear it is too good.'"

And I forgot to call Mr. Swickard's attention to the very greatest success of the year, "The Servant in the House," which shows how one actor-manager knows the truth—that the public wants—craves, if you will, decent plays. As to operas in comparison with so much musical comedy. "Don't you suppose," argued Mr. Swickard, "that if we put on such a light opera as the 'Bohemian Girl' and 'Martha' that the public would come to see them? How long has it been," demanded he, "since they've been seen here? Why the older people would all come just to renew acquaintance with the familiar airs, and the younger ones would want to know what they're like."

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WHAT THE SECRET SOCIETIES ARE DOING

Dirigo Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Celebrates Seventh Anniversary

Unas Tribe, I. O. O. F.—On the steps of the third sun, Buck Moon (Common Era), July 12, the chiefs of the tribe held a big "pow wow" in the "long house" at Twelfth and Franklin streets.

Early in the evening the braves began trailing in from the forest and the land, and when the sachem called his chiefs to council they all came in a body. Many visiting chiefs were present from distant hunting grounds and some had traveled from beyond the sun-disk.

Many were present who follow the hunt on the big waters, and all their weapons, bows, arrows, and all their trappings, were on display. The sachem prepared a feast of corn and venison, under which the tables groined. Bros. M. A. Shuter and E. B. Burnett, dressed the unsolden moccasins given them by their chiefs. In preparing this banquet of many courses.

The adoption degree was conferred upon two visitors by Unas degree team Bro. L. A. Smith, sachem. By special dispensation, the warrior and chief's degrees were also given. Brother W. H. Jenkins of Lawrence Tribe came the sachem's work.

The degree work was well up to the high standard of a tribe, and brought forth rounds of applause. One of the bluejackets, who is an officer on the U. S. S. Kaurea, said he had never seen better drill work and he visited tribes in many reservations and even his tribe Sam had no such good Indians.

Brother R. A. Smith presided as toastmaster and kept every one happy and in the best of humor by his clever handling of the toasts and introductions to the speakers.

Many brilliant gems of wit and a number of clever speakers were observed on this occasion and when bluejacket said "Two blue boys," all were surprised to find it so late. Three cheers for the tribe and order were given. Cheers were spoken and hands clasped hands that may never meet again. But the chiefs of the Kaurea will long remember Unas Tribe and as they said, hold fast memories of their visit, and ever remain ours in K. E. and C.

Abate Invidia Rebekah Lodge No. 11, I. O. O. F.—The officers of this lodge were installed Tuesday evening, July 7, the hall having been beautifully decorated with palms, bunnies and paper garlands, relieved by masses of pink blossoms. The officers installed were: P. N. G., G. Janet Fonda, chaplain; Emma Kins, warden; Mary Davis, conductor; Janet Northey, secretary; Maude Swift, financial secretary; Elsie Hirsch, treasurer; Rita Wilson; R. S. N. G., Della Abby; L. S. N. G., Maud Myer; R. S. V. G., Louise Togo; L. S. V. G., W. McGrooms; I. G., Reade Hasser; G. W. Brother Thomas A. S. Blanche Bassel and Row Spring.

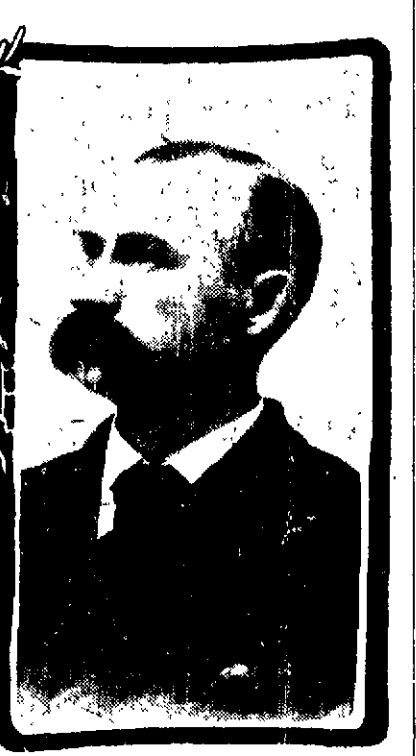
The officers of the installing team did the work in a very creditable manner, reflecting much credit on the drill mistress, Sister Maude Swift. It has been her aim to have a drill as simple and concise as possible to be consistent with the impressive Rebekah ceremony of installation and she has succeeded in her undertaking.



MRS. LIZZIE NEWTON, one of the founders of Umatilla Council, No. 101.



GEORGE E. MANIS, Pow-L. Newton, founder of Umatilla Council, No. 101.



L. NEWTON, founder of Umatilla Council, No. 101.

and all Rebekahs are very welcome. Come next Tuesday and encourage the new officers.

Officers Installed.—Umatilla Council No. 11, Degree of Pheonians, held their raising-up Monday evening, July 6, in Macabees Temple. District Deputy Mrs. Rea was the installing officer and was assisted by Mrs. Wallace of Boston and others. Following is a list of the officers: Pheonians, Ellen Root, Pheonians, Anna Featce, Vernonah, Penny Wardell, Pheonians, Thomas R. Neeson, keeper of records, Leona Gale, keeper of wampum, Caroline Neeson, collector of wampum, Nellie Cutting, scouts, Marie and Gretta McKenney, counselors, Annie Baker and Emma Silva, runners, Elizabeth Green, guard of the temple, Mrs. M. Anderson, guard of the forest, Manuel Lema, warriors, A. G. Pearce, Robt. Gail, Chas. Murphy and J. Conman, organizers, Jeanette Spolard.

After the business of the G. D. P. Mrs. Row, in behalf of the members, presented esteemed Sister Christine Neeson, keeper of the wampum, with a beautiful pin as a token of their love and true friendship for her. A basket of American beauties was presented to Anna Pearce, the Pheonians, also a gift of honor to Ellen Root, the prophetess. After the quenching of the council fire, the officers of the council and all the members voted it one of the most pleasant meetings ever held in any council. Brother William Dexter was appointed press committee for this council.

Initiates New Members.—Amazon Lodge No. 181, K. of P., which meets at Fraternal Hall, 106½ East Fourteenth street, Oakland, every Monday night, seems to be going to the front in fraternal work. During the last semi-annual term they initiated into their midst some fifteen new members, and the work, beginning July 1 is starting off well. At

the first meeting held in July there were four strangers initiated in the mysteries of the page rank, and on Monday night, July 13, 1908, the square rank work will be put on with four pages participating.

To Initiate New Lodge.—North Oakland Lodge No. 491, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, held a very interesting meeting last Wednesday evening. Their hall was damaged by fire a week ago, but they are still in the rug.

They accepted the invitation to put on the initiatory degree work at the installation of the new Richmond Lodge on July 20, and expect a large number of the brothers to accompany them to Richmond on that date.

The joint public installation of the officers of No. 491 and the officers of Richmond Lodge No. 19, which was held for July 15, has been postponed to Wednesday, July 22. The installation will be held in the large Golden Gate Hall of North Oakland Lodge on that date, and a good many of the lodges have signified their intention of being present.

Program Prepared.—Tomorrow evening the officers and degree team of Oakland Lodge No. 94, W. G. O. F., will install the newly elected officers of Forest Camp No. 102 in the latter camp's lodge room at Alcatraz Hall, Paralta and Seventh street, West Oakland. An interesting program has been prepared and all members who care to make the trip are assured of a good time. Consul Commander C. H. Harvey will act as installing officer.

Tuesday evening Alpha Jump of East Oakland has invited the same officers and team to visit them in their meeting hall and initiate a class of twenty or thirty candidates, exemplifying the ritualistic work as it was done in the past content. There will be a large attendance present from other camps, and the "boys of 94" are expected to show

how the work is done in Oakland town.

Tuesday evening, July 14, Oakland Lodge No. 101, will hold installation of officers. Past Consul Mark A. Thomas being installing officer.

Athens Camp No. 457 held a large and enthusiastic meeting Wednesday evening. A number of good things were passed upon. Neighbor Taft, banker of Athens, was indicted for cross expenditures of his time and good will in endeavoring to entertain the neighbors of Athens camp; that hearing takes place Wednesday evening, July 15. Arrangements were also made by the entertainment committee for a high time, and banquet installation of officers will also take place. Several visiting neighbors from the Orpheum and Bell Theaters will help out the program. All neighbors are cordially invited to be present and pay tribute to the retiring officers.

Knights of Pythias.—Oakland lodge No. 103, A very interesting session of this lodge was held Thursday evening, July 9. The attendance was quite large, especially the number of visiting parties, which is most encouraging to the members and Chancellor Commander John Patterson. Pages Romos and Miller were charged in the rank of equites in a manner that could scarcely be improved upon. Remarks, humorous, instructive and entertaining were rendered by several of the visitors. Next Thursday, July 16, the lodge will have work in the knight rank.

ident M. A. McNols performed the installation ceremonies in a most impressive manner.

After the installation refreshments were served, which were well prepared by a committee of brothers. President Harry S. McFarland presided as toastmaster of the evening.

Rev. Father Grant, chaplain of No. 6, was present and delivered a splendid talk on the future greatness of his council. Grand Marshal D. J. Loney was also present and in an eloquent talk set forth many remarks that caused considerable applause.

Brother Joseph S. Morgado of St. Francisco, Chaplain of Hawaiian Islands, was a visitor Thursday night.

The brothers of this council have strongly endorsed Past President Joseph P. Callahan as a candidate for grand director. The members are zealous of being represented in the grand council, and are sending this brother to Sacramento to capture an office.

Joint Installation.—A delightful banquet and entertainment was given last Thursday evening in Enterprise Hall, when Pointland Lodge, No. 394, and Oakland Lodge, No. 118, I. O. O. F., held a joint installation ceremony. Fred C. Curtis, D. G. M. of District No. 61, assisted by his staff, installed the officers. Canton Oakland No. 11 was in attendance. Chorus was presented to W. A. Sturgeson and Mr. Olsen. G. Nason received a past grand master's jewel in recognition of his services to the order. The presentations were made by C. T. Peterson, Fred C. Curtis and G. Nason.

Major P. Baker of Australia awarded W. A. Sturgeson with a past grand master's jewel. J. T. Hiltbrook received a set of silver spoons.

R. A. Joerner acted as toastmaster. Responses were made by Fred C. Curtis, A. A. Reiser, Judge F. B. Ogden and Col. C. H. Weaver.

Fraternal Brotherhood.—Oakland Lodge No. 123 of the Fraternal Brotherhood held its weekly session last Friday at Pythian Castle, President J. D. Rathke presiding. Considerable business came up before the meeting. Several applications for membership were received and acted upon.

At Friday will be the installation of officers and all members are requested to be present.

Postpone Installation.—Oakland Rebekah lodge No. 12 held a very short meeting Saturday evening, July 4. The installation of officers, which was set for July 16, has been postponed until July 22, as the hall was not ready until that date. Next Saturday evening will be a regular business meeting.

Dirigo Lodge No. 224, K. of P.—Probationary night, which was held last Tuesday evening, July 7, at Pythian Hall. The occasion was the celebration of the anniversary of the birth of the lodge and was styled a birthday party.

The attendance was unusually large, even for an occasion of this kind, every available seat in the lodge room being occupied. Invitations had been sent to many of the Grand Lodge members and supreme representatives, and the manner in which they responded was truly gratifying. A short business meeting was held, after which members and visitors adjourned to the banquet hall, where a delicious repast, prepared by the lodge, was served in most approved style, the menu being as follows: Special Cocktail (Toast to Dirigo), Shrimp, a la Mayonnaise, Potato, Crab, Colery, Radishes, Pickled Olives, Roast Turkey, Roast Chicken, Zinfandel, Cold Tongue, Jolied Ham, Sauerkraut.

Fruits, Nuts, Raisins, Swiss Cheese, Tea, Cream, Coffee, Cigars. After drinking a toast to Dirigo Lodge, singing "America" and three rousing cheers, a very enjoyable evening was brought to a close.

Dirigo Lodge is one of the largest K. of P. lodges in the State.

D. P. P. Sister Roseberg, Grand Marshal of the Rebekah lodge, was presented with a bouquet of carnations, each representing a different success for a prosperous term.

The lodge having had the mis

WOMEN GET RID OF THEIR CLOTHES WHEN THEY WANT TO SWIM

No Such Thing as a Mermaid, as You Might Learn if Admitted to Private Natatoriums Where Fair Dames and Damsels Disport.

When a woman really and actually swims she wants to get rid of her clothes, says Anita De Campi, that is, if she is in the privacy of her own club. Plunging in the tank at a club where men are not admitted is found to be enjoyable to women who care more for comfort than for picturesque costume. In such cases they discard even the shortest skirts, the cutty socks that are demanded at the seaside, and stand revealed in all the comely grace of the female form unadorned. The hazy suits, to be sure, but they are skin tight, and so thin that diaphanous is the only word that may properly be applied to them.

In Chicago, it is asserted by members of the women's athletic clubs that

no one has more fun than the women who swim in the several big clubs, in the "tanks," as the club natatoriums are called. It is the one and only place where the fewer clothes, one has the better off one is. In fact, to be "in the swim," it is the order of the day to wear no skirt at all.

The women of the athletic clubs pride themselves on the perfection of their appointments. The costumes are simple above all and appropriate to the exercise. No frills, no tassels, cordings, or fobbed of any sort that would be detrimental to good swimming.

Gradually from kicking off the skirt that is such a hindrance to a good leg stroke the idea has gained in favor of leaving it off. That obstacle once gotten over, the costume of bloomers and blouse in one piece is accepted.

And this, in turn, improved upon, has given the suit so much like a man's swimming suit of sweater and trunks. This, to be sure, is a concession to modesty. It is made of heavy cloth in the form of a coat, comfortably loose and buttoned straight down the front.

Many of the swimmers at the best clubs do without stockings, and those who do wear them buy the regular stage tights that come all the way up under the trunks and the around the waist. This does away with the annoyance of garters. Unhindered in this way, many of the clubwomen can swim far better than can the men of their families.

Shall I tell you all about the swim? Well, they come down early in the morning much excited. Everybody chatters with everybody else and there is a perfect a huttlecock and butterfly of small talk over the partitions of the tiny dressing-rooms—challenges at random and a rusty scurry to get out of the drowsily loved finery and cast it from them.

Everybody says to herself: "I look a sight. But thank heaven everybody else does, too!" so nobody cares—and what would be the use? for there isn't a man within. But that's another story.

NO MERMAIDS.

Just between ourselves, there is no such animal as a mermaid! It is really funny to see the transformation scenes that take place in the tank. It is a fashion of wearing an abundant aureole certainly is embarrassing when one has to face the dire alternative of getting the pretty puts all wet or frankly owing up to the shame by leaving them in the dressing-room.

The novice thinks, in consternation, "What shall I do? Wear them in? Or take them off?" And, finally—if she knows how to dive and doesn't mind getting her own hair wet—comes down with an appreciably diminished confidence to find to her great relief that the others are all in the same fix.

A few to keep the effect wear rubber caps nicely extended with "rats" and covered with bandanas, but even these have to come off in the "shower" that follows the swim, so the expose is just as bad.

PHYSICAL CULTURE.

The first feature of the morning is the physical culture class. All lie on their backs with their arms outstretched and their feet straight up in the air. Startling effect! Quite distinctly plagiarized by the chorus with bells on their ankles in "The Arabian Model."

Then all turn straight over, with their toes on the floor and raising their heads and shoulders, rest their weight on their hands until the spine resembles the letter "L." Then follows a little sprightly side stepping and all are ready to swim.

Some wonderful antics are performed. Many of the swimmers childishly make their husbands and brothers blush with envy of their dexterity, of course.

DO FANCY TRICKS.

Women are naturally more agile and more graceful in the water than men. Some do the overhand stroke, some the

back or side stroke, some swim under water, some on their backs and some make long glides, shooting straight on to the far end of the tank in mighty leaps.



STANDING ON THE TOES, PREPARATORY TO MAKING A DIVE.

good time.

There is a teacher who watches the beginners carefully and there are poles

STRANGE MISGIVINGS IN MATRIMONIAL MIXUP

Paris is a very gossip capital, even more so than New York, but this morsel is accepted over there as the gospel truth that the American divorcee and the person of high title who have been in the public eye for some time were really secretly married three months ago, that one morning Madame was asked with grave frowns concerning her health and welfare and hastily sent for her faithful nurse. So far as he was concerned nothing could have delighted him more, and realizing her state of mind he naively proposed an immediate marriage. It is said she acquiesced, and that forty-eight hours later the matter was accomplished. Somewhat later she discovered that her anxiety had been without foundation, and did the eternally feminine thing—promptly repented. Then against the advice and pleadings of her new titled husband, and with her brain a-quiver she set sail for New York. He promptly followed with the avowed intention of begging her not to make the marriage public at this time, especially as he had been informed that Madame de la Roche had instructed her lawyers to do what they could to discover some flaw in the wedding ceremony that it might be broken. Whether or not she loves him, this thing is believed, perhaps her husband has her hypnotized, and the affair is the one subject of conversation in gay France.

HELD AS WITNESS OF BOY'S SPANKING

MEDIA, Pa.—Dr. Caspar Miller, the well-known physician of Wallingford, son of William H. Miller, president of the First National Bank of Media was given a hearing before Justice of the Peace Cooper on the charge of having assaulted Jesse Forsythe, the 12-year-old son of Isaac Forsythe, also a prominent citizen of Wallingford. Young Forsythe, his companion, Ralph Howard; Mrs. William Lavery and her daughter testified that it was a man in dark clothes, whom no one seemed to know, that assaulted the lad.

Dr. Miller testified that while driving up the Providence road with his wife and three friends in his automobile that either the Forsythe boy or young Howard deliberately threw some gravel into the auto, striking Mrs. Miller in the face, causing her great pain. Dr. Miller and his friend jumped and gave chase to the boys, and, according to the story of the prosecution, the man whose identity has not been revealed caught young Forsythe and chastised him.

Dr. Miller was held in his own security to appear before the justice as a witness if the unidentified man who committed the assault was apprehended.

and safety wings for the timid ones. The rings are not idle for a moment, and the spungboards are busy most of the time.

Toward noon the crowd in the tank thins out. By ones, twos and threes they come dripping up to the shower bath, where they take first a hot, then a cold shower, a shampoo and a good rinsing. Then onward to the steam room, where nobody can see anybody else but some one is just saying:

"It come down here twice a week and do this to reduce."

And another voice pants back: "My gracious! I have been doing the same thing to grow plump!"

Another one laughs out: "Well, what's one woman's loss?" etc.

In the hall everybody stops just long enough to snatch up a towel and to

shuffle into Turkish sandals, and then go on their way to the hot room. Here are a number of long seated chairs where one can stretch one's self leisurely at full length, nicely pumped up with the hair dandling over the chair back to catch the full heat of the drier.

What stories of piffles are exchanged!

"I told Jack what you told us last week about your having walked twenty-five miles in so many minutes."

"Did you?" smiles the other, quite flattered. "What did he say?"

"Oh, he said that that was a fine grand, great thing to tell in the hot air room!"

EVERYBODY LAUGHS.

Everybody laughs excepting one slender maiden of a certain age who is busily engaged rubbing a little bit of cold cream around and around her

the skin of her face. She is sitting on a bench that is too low for her and her knees are up under her chin.

"Did you ever notice a cat washing her face?"

That remark was apropos of nothing in particular, but somebody hurries to get out of the way, others follow and the chatter over the partitions of the little dressing-rooms upstairs is once more merrily resumed, until one by one emerges, each a vision of loveliness, with splendid heads of pine d r r puffs and curls that everybody is too hungry by this time to be much amused about.

Nearly all go into the club dining room to lunch, but a few vain ones tie themselves to the shade of the sheltering luncheon, and the chauffeur knows without further orders that the no stop is at a popular hairdresser's.

And the swim is over for the day.

Warm Love Letters of Affinity

Break Up Family and Two Warrants for Fugitives Are Obtained By Outraged Husband

NEW YORK—The love letters of an affinity, left behind by his runaway wife led Charles Jenkins, the East Weymouth (Mass.) optician, to obtain warrants for the arrest of his wife and Edward Ramsdell, alias Ramsdell, whom he surprised in the apartment of Mrs. and Mrs. Rose, No. 321 St. Nicholas avenue. They were issued in the District Court and the husband is hot on the chase of the affinity.

Jenkins jumped on Ramsdell and battered him nearly to death, but he leaped from a window and, climbing down a post, escaped clad in a single garment.

Several letters dropped in the woman's hasty flight, addressed to "My Dear Little Wife" and "Dearest Helen." Jenkins, the husband said, that Mrs. Jenkins had planned with her affinity to elope to New York and to forsake him.

Here is some of the letters:

My Dear Wife: Your special delivery was waiting me on your arrival home. I can't begin to describe to you how pleased and anxious I was to find home feeling very blue and had received your letter. Your sweet letter gave me oceans of relief.

I just can't wait any longer for you, and I am sure we will be as loving a couple as can be found anywhere. It's no use putting it off, so make up your mind to come to me. I am your affinity. You are mine and you can't live without me.

I must have you with me at once. I just can't be without you, and if you love me you will pack up and write me. I will mail a check for railroad fares and expenses.

This is another typical epistle:

Dearest Helen: I just got through telephoning you but the only satisfaction I had was to be sure you are safe. I thought everything could not account for your silence after receiving my telegram to meet you Saturday. I engaged an apartment here in New York, thinking you would bring the boy along, telling the party of whom I engaged it of that I expected my wife from Louisville, and as a result the woman I am renting the flat from was at the depot with me waiting for you. In fact, told every one I knew that my wife and I made up, and that she was coming to New

York. You can only imagine my feelings when I failed to meet you.

Mrs. Jenkins refused to make an statement. A friend said that she would return to Boston with her husband.

One letter, signed "Your Dearest Husband, E." in part reads:

If I only had you here tonight, I feel sure you would be glad to allow me to be your husband on the wing of love. Tell your husband your mother is dead—anything—and then you want to visit your aunt. I can eat, sleep, walk or talk without you. Would you kill the man you love? A least, he would be a most devoted lover in the spirit.

Another was addressed to "My Own Darling Helen." It read:

Your apartments await you here (meaning New York). They are empty without you. Bring Eddie (the boy) with you. Told the housekeeper that I expected my wife from Louisville and she and I waited long hours at the depot for you. She went home, but I gallantly stayed in the depot. I could not think of you being alone in this modern Gomorrah without my love and money. You know I have always been a gentleman—was reared that way and can't help it—and I have always meant to treat you as my little wife. Once I swore I would never again trust woman, but you made me break that promise. I will always love you. If ever you want only call on E.

Immediately on finding the letters, the enraged husband started for New York. By tracing his wife's trunk the detectives discovered that Mrs. Jenkins had gone first to the Clarendon Hotel and then to the Earlwood apartments.

PASTOR HISSSED

Out of Town By Children

TRENTON, July 9.—Surrounded by a band of children, whose parents did not restrain their actions, the Rev. J. A. Clinton Worden, organizer of the Independent St. Thomas Congregation in this city, was literally drummed out of town by youngsters when he left here to accept a call he had accepted in Brooklyn.

Worden came here four years ago. From the time of his arrival he made frequent complaints to the police about the attitude of his neighbors toward him.

Recently he told the police that two little girls had acted improperly at a window opposite his home. The police on investigating the charges found that the children were clad in gymnasium suits, consisting of blouses and bloomers and were exercising in a decent and polite manner, according to rules set for them by their teacher.

Fathers and mothers of the children living in the neighborhood asserted that dislike for the man. Recently the pastor announced that he was leaving the city for good and was going to Brooklyn. This became generally known and when a carriage drove up to his home a hundred or more youngsters assembled and surrounded the vehicle. All the way to the station and until the train took him away the children kept up a bangs or war-pails, and finally hissed him out of town.

SPRUCE UP AND LET THE SCRUBBING GO

I am only a household drudge," said a woman the other day, and she certainly looked it. Why any woman should pass so much time in keeping the house in order is a mystery, for, although order is a very good and beautiful thing, it is not all there is in the world, says a writer. A husband coming home tired at night may not care so much that the pantry shelves have just been scrubbed as to see a pretty, nicely dressed little woman at the threshold. If you have to choose between scrubbing the shelves or waving your hair, wave your hair and let the pantry shelves go until tomorrow morning.



PHYSICAL CULTURE BEFORE THE SWIM PRESENTS SOME DIFFICULT STUNTS FOR THE FAIR ONES, BUT THEY PERSEVERE.

WHEN THE CRADLE IS EMPTY, NATIONS FEAR

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acquiring a great fortune hastened to reconvert in the number of children who, under the law, must divide the little they had.

The short-sighted law of Napoleon still stands, crushing the population with the dread of children left to starve, while the dowry system lends an ever-present underdog.

But that is not all. French taxes fall heaviest on the parents of large families, from the house tax which makes it immediately costly for a man to have a numerous progeny, to all the indirect taxes which France has been so astute in contriving.

Under laws such as these it is not necessarily French nature that abstains from the luxury of the well-filled cradle, it is simply human nature that cannot see safety in numbers.

And the children who are born—how they die in France! Throughout the land government science and philanthropy are untiring now in the desperate endeavor to preserve to the nation the babies that have the luck to get born at all.

In Paris, throughout the provinces, the Consultations de Nourissisons are engaged in furnishing sterilized milk to poor mothers and, more than that, striving by expert medical advice to teach those mothers how essential it is that their babies must have their mothers' own milk, as nature planned when Cain and Abel came into the world.

Wonderful results have been obtained. Ten years ago in Paris the infant death rate, on stomach trouble, ran as high as 236 a week. Now, at the Clinique Fernier, out of a varying attendance of babies ranging from 90 to 140, not one has died of that common ailment.

The general rate of infant mortality throughout France is being marvellously changed through these "consultations," as they are called. At Avallon, prior to their establishment, 100 babies out of 1000 perished, now the deaths are only 48 per 1000.

At Rogny it has dropped from 70 per 1000 to 27; at Font-en-Vionne, from 126 to 33; at Hercy, from 40 to none; at St. Brie, from 103 to none, and at Augy, from 180 to none.

This is, indeed, saving the children, for the mothers, properly helped and instructed, are only too eager to preserve them. Once born the good, old, unfailing maternal instinct defies all the laws of race destruction that even a Napoleon could craft upon the body social.

But it is not enough. Although the

whole 80,000 babies be saved that can be saved, according to recent estimates, the cure for the French decadence must operate with parenthood, not with infancy.

Deputy Messing has just risen in the Chamber of Deputies to propose, that the French people may not die out, these measures:

1. Freedom from all direct taxation for families having more than three children.

2. State aid in every possible way in the prevention of infant mortality wherever the mortality is due to the poverty or the ignorance of parents.

3. Initiation of the United States in making it easy for foreigners to acquire the full advantages of citizenship.

But there is no word yet of abolishing the laws of testamentary division of property, and if there were, who shall say that a nation already legalized, partitioned and devastated into abdication of the highest privilege and the highest duty of humanity possesses the power to regenerate itself?

French statistics show some features comparable to those observable in the United States. Thus, in Pennsylvania, where vital statistics have just been collected, rare suicide alone is not the cause of the diminution of the birth rate. It is the large factor, but the entrance of women into business callings tends to make them independent of marriage and to delay many unions, with consequent loss to the growth of population.

The average age at which Pennsylvania women marry is now twenty-four and a half years—a remarkable late time of life. The result is that one-third of first-born children in Pennsylvania come to mothers who are more than twenty-five years old. This condition of affairs is markedly in evidence in France, where "marriages of reason"—marriage where the contracting parties are of an age to have no hope of progeny—figure largely in the number of fortunes that are joined in matrimony. From such unions, the nation reaps no gain in citizenry whatever. The parties are occupied with their own comfort exclusively.

The difference is that in the United States, the average marriage age is being set so near to the age of the "marriage of reason" that the universal hope of children is growing smaller. In France, a large percentage contract the "marriage of reason" at the ages when the hope of offspring cannot exist at all.

In England, the other great nation now most anxiously over the cradles that do not hold their accustomed burdens, the growth of Ger-

many, adding millions unto millions, is regarded with an uneasiness only a little less acute than that of France, Great Britain's new found friend and ally.

For months recently a parliamentary committee sat in London, taking testimony on the subject of infant insurance, while the registrar general reported for London what has been characterized as "an appalling list of child mortality for infants under twelve months during the past year."

London concerns that many persons holding no official position, found in the widely practiced plan of insuring babies an incentive to neglect, worse than cruelty, and an indignation to infanticide too tempting for many poor parents to withstand.

The testimony before the parliamentary committee has not borne out the charges of deliberate infanticide, but it did demonstrate afresh the shocking conditions of privation under which a large proportion of the infant population are brought into the world and allowed to struggle onward toward a sickly maturity.

And the registrar general's figures for 1907 showed that weakness in propagation, characteristic of France is showing itself to an alarming extent in England. There and in Wales the birth rate is the lowest that has been recorded—actually less than three quarters of the rate maintained thirty years ago.

It is the greatest in the empire, but it exists in the county districts to an extent sufficiently notable to be alarming.

The estimated population of England and Wales is 34,945,000. The birth rate, based on 917,426 of 29 3/4 a thousand, which is 0.8 a thousand below the rate of 1905 and the lowest rate of any year on record. Births in London were 25 1/2 a thousand for the year, the lowest rate since civil registration was established. Calculated on the total population, the fall in the London birth rate during the last thirty-seven years amounts to 27 per cent.

Agriculture, withering like a blighted field of grain has dwindled until the stout villages of England and Wales are starving in the county districts the starving descendants of the farmers who had to flee their fields to escape starvation in their day.

They saved themselves in some half-hungry fashion. But their children's children—pale, starved, anemic and victims of morbid and nervous diseases—were the result of their imprudence in early, useless death.

What the French statesmen ask themselves, is to become of France with none left to defend her?

What the English ask themselves, is to become of the empire with none to hold her?

And Germany looks, smiling, at her overflocking cradles.

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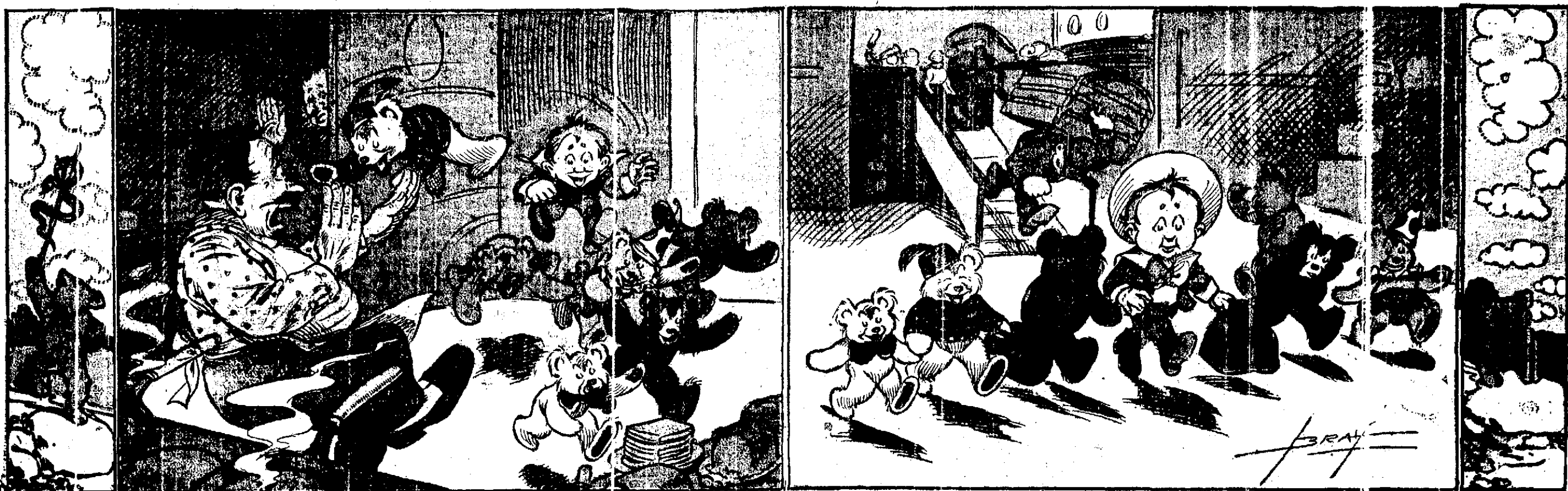
1. John's long vacation has begun;
School's over, now's the time for fun.
The Teds and Johnny hear with glee
Of a delightful trip by sea.

2. But hardly have they left the land
When some strange ill attacks the band.
They cannot eat, they cannot drink,
They almost hope the ship will sink.



3. But Johnny's Dad with kindly care
Lures them on deck to get some air.
Then soon they feel in happier mood
And look about and long for food.

4. They see a steward with a tray,
But O! he hastens on his way.
The hungry mob at once pursue;
I'm sure I would have done it, too.



5. They rush down stairs, mouths open wide,
An awful emptiness inside.
Right through the kitchen door they fly,
And seize on all the cook's supply.

6. With roaring appetites like that,
They'll all be getting very fat.
Yet they are glad to land once more
Upon a new and pleasant shore.

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WOMAN'S SECTION

OAKLAND, CAL., SUNDAY, JULY 12, 1908



Mid-
Summer
Fashions
for the
Seashore

EDNA WYBRANT SMITH.



MISS GRAZIELA ARRILLIAGA Whose Engagement Is Announced

The announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Graziela Arrillaga and Edward Canallizo. Miss Arrillaga is the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sago, Arrillaga and is a beauty of the purest Castilian type. She is accomplished in many ways and of a most winning disposition. She comes of a family of musicians, her father having been the organist in the Spanish Church in San Francisco for many years and where he is also director of the choir. He is a composer of merit and during the season when Tetzlaff appeared in San Francisco, she sang his "Ave Mari" a high mass one Sunday morning.

A brother, Vincent Arrillaga, and his wife have just arrived from Jacksonville, Illinois, where he has been engaged as instructor in Rowe college, teaching the piano, organ, Spanish and French. He has also been organist and choir director in the Jacksonville Catholic Church.

Mr. Canallizo, the groom-to-be, is a well-known business man in this city. His relatives reside principally in Mexico where the family are members of the old Spanish aristocracy. Mr. Canallizo's great grandfather, Valentin Canallizo was acting president of Mexico when Santa Anna, the reigning president, went to the battlefield as commander in chief of the army.

The marriage of Miss Arrillaga and Mr. Canallizo will probably take place the latter part of August or early in September. The young couple will make their home in this city although Mr. Canallizo's relatives in Mexico are making him the most flattering offers to induce him to make his home in that country.

RETURN TO HOME CITY.
Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Arrillaga, with their little son, arrived in Oakland last Tuesday from Jacksonville, Illinois. During their stay on the coast they will be the guests of Mr. Arrillaga's parents at their Clarendon home.

Mrs. Arrillaga is an attractive girl and will be the motif for many social affairs during her stay as this is her first visit to the coast. It is eight years since Vincent Arrillaga went East to live and a warm welcome is being given him and his pretty wife.

WEDDING OF TALENTED GIRL.
The wedding of Miss Ethel Stidston and Arthur Winkler was observed at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Albert Clark in Fruitvale, last Wednesday afternoon, July 8.

The parlors were prettily decorated with blossoms and ferns and promptly at 5 o'clock the bridal party stood under a marriage bell of sweet peas and maiden hair fern where the ceremony was performed.

The Rev. Mr. Thomas was the officiating clergyman. The bride wore a gown of white lace over white tulle.

Miss Mabel Heywood was the bridesmaid and Mr. Brace supported the bridegroom. The wedding march was played by Miss Ethel Long. After the ceremony an elaborate supper was enjoyed by the thirty guests.

Mrs. Winkler is the daughter of W. A. Stidston of Los Gatos and is a very popular and talented girl having been a teacher in the Melrose grammar school.

Mr. Winkler is well-known on this side of the bay. The young couple have gone to Portland for their honeymoon and upon their return will reside in Melrose.

SEWING BEE.
Mrs. Fred Furniss was a recent hostess at a charming bumble bee given in honor of Miss Norma Sweeney of Phoenix, Arizona.

Miss Sweeney since coming to Oakland has been extensively entertained by her Oakland friends. She is the house guest of her aunt, Mrs. Fred Furniss. Yesterday afternoon she and Miss Selma Goldberg, another young visitor from Phoenix, were the guests of honor at a luncheon and matinee given by Miss Coleman in San Francisco.

Mrs. Furniss' guests at the sewing bee were Mrs. Lee B. Glavin, Mrs. Anstuther Dalkoll, Miss Hazel Noyse, Miss Beth Wiley, Miss Alice Naylor, Miss Hazel Naylor, Miss Selma Goldberg, Miss Norma Sweeney, Miss Esther Kelly, Miss Isabelle Gaulty, Miss Katharine Harland, Miss Laura Kelly and Miss Mead Bissell.

TO VISIT NORTHWEST.
Word comes of the pleasant trip of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald D. Holmes. Mrs. Holmes and her two little daughters went to Portland early in June, where they have been the guests of Mrs. Holmes' parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Knight. Mr. Holmes joined his family, July 1st and is now with his wife making a trip to Seattle and British Columbia.

The many friends of Mrs. Holmes will be glad to hear of her improving health. Mrs. Holmes was quite far from well before she left Oakland and it is hoped that the trip may prove decidedly beneficial.

SUMMER SOJOURNS.
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dow have returned from a trip to the Yosemite. Mrs. Dow has taken her young sons for an outing in Lake country.

Miss Nellie McGraw of Chestnut street is planning a trip to Pitt River Valley, where she will have charge of the Presbyterian Indian Sunday school.

EXPER ANGLER.
Messrs. Al. H. Lent, J. J. McVey and A. A. Sawyer prominent business men of Oakland, are touring the northern

part of the State and are now the guests of E. J. Baldwin at Hotel Tallac, Lake Tahoe. Mr. Lent is an expert angler and is making daily shipments of speckled mountain trout to his numerous friends. After leaving Tallac the party will go to Carson City and Reno and return by way of Sacramento in Mr. Lent's new, Thomas Flyer reaching Oakland about the first of August.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT.
Mrs. M. Busch announced the engagement of her daughter, Miss Rose, to James Zuckerman, a young business man of Oakland.

AT BURKE SANATORIUM.
Miss Claire Chabot, with her sister, Mrs. John Henry Dieckman, are at Burke's Sanatorium in Santa Rosa. Mrs. Chabot is with her mother, Mrs. Raul Chabot at Villa Reata, the Chabot country home.

ENTERTAINED AT CARDS.
Mrs. Leander Thompson Cook entertained a party of friends at her home on Thirtieth street, Friday evening, July 10. Mrs. Cook was assisted in receiving her guests by her daughter, Miss Julia and her son, Cyrus.

Five hundred was the diversion for the evening, the winners of the game being Miss Ethel M. Hogan, Mrs. L. M. McCallie, and Howard E. Mason. Those who enjoyed Mrs. Cook's hospitality were Miss George Tait, Miss Florence Seal, Miss Ethel Hogan, Miss Geraldine Rowe, Miss Helen Houston, Miss Villa Taylor, Miss Gladys Patterson, Frank Kelly, Howard Mason, Herbert Hildebrandt, Vincent Hogan, Frank Wallace, Cyrus Cook, Robert McKee, Will McKee, John Beckwith, Clarence Wells, Paul Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. McCallie, Mr. and Mrs. Wall Mosse, Captain and Mrs. M. Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Senior, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wright and L. T. Cook.

VISIT HOME CITY.
Mrs. Fanny Ward Miller, wife of Dr. Frank D. Ward Miller of Erie, Pennsylvania, is visiting relatives in this city and will be the guests for the summer of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Harrell and her niece, Mrs. Dwight R. Hunter and Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Miller is head of the department of oratory in Erie academy and is now taking a much needed rest. Both Doctor and Mrs. Miller were residents of Oakland and left a host of friends behind when they decided to make their home in the East.

AT LIEBLY'S RANCH.
A party of congenial friends will leave on Tuesday, July 14, for Liebler's ranch in Mendocino county, where they are to spend a month.

Those in the party are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Hunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Moody, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Shindler, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kilpatrick.

AT LAKESIDE PARK.
The following Oakland people are enjoying their vacation days at the Lakeside Park, Lake Tahoe:

Mrs. Helen E. Parkinson, William Bannan and wife, Miss Helen Bannan, Nellie Bannan, James E. Naismith and wife, Alma Naismith, Harold Naismith, Kenyon Naismith, Miss Hannah Nelson, Miss Ellen Anderson, Mrs. E. P. Vaughn and daughter, Mrs. W. G. Mackay and son, Dr. Henry B. Kuss and wife, Mrs. A. B. Bauman, Mrs. J. A. Vandegriff, Mrs. Alice Price Lo-

gan, Miss Helen I. Wetherbee, M. E. Kommer, A. F. Edwards, wife and two children; Miss Flora Mitchell, Dr. W. F. Schuman, wife and two children; H. A. Stout and wife, Mrs. Jules Hancock and daughter, H. F. Propler, wife and child, B. G. Haas, wife and son; Miss F. A. C. Mooney, Miss Isabella Baundry, Mrs. W. E. Jason and son and A. R. Debury.

Those registered from Alameda are A. H. Leydecker, Charles M. Cadman, Mrs. J. C. Bates, Mrs. M. B. Bulding, Miss Phyllis Finnamer, Mrs. C. B. Doncan and Mrs. L. B. Pesch.

The Berkeley guests include the following: Mrs. W. H. Maxwell, Miss Maxwell, W. B. Maxwell, Dr. Ludlum Hill and wife, Miss Marian E. Cotrell, Miss Lillian R. Cotrell, William F. Kett, wife and three children, Miss Annie Pitt and J. Fred Cochran.

ENTERTAIN AT MONTE'RIO.
Mrs. L. Leimert, accompanied by her daughters, Miss Nettie and Miss Lillie, have gone to their attractive bungalow

at Monte Rio in Sonoma county where they will remain for a month. During their outing they will entertain a number of their young friends.

HOME BY THE SEA.
Mrs. E. A. Holman and family are spending the summer in Santa Cruz at their beautiful and artistic bungalow, Ka-Pa-Ki (home by the sea).

AT CAMP VACATION.
Mrs. E. L. Harbert and children of Fallon street are among the Oakland folks who are spending their outing at Camp Vacation.

Accompanying the Harberts are Mrs. Ward Pelton and her daughter, the Misses Edith and Marion Pelton.

AT CALIENTE SPRINGS.
Among the numerous sojourners at Caliente Springs are Mr. and Mrs. Beauregard, H. U. Keller and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Owenhouse, J. Stone, Miss E. Stone, G. K. Judd and wife, Mr. and Mrs. A. Donner, R. Stewart

MISS EDITH CONSTANCE DAVIE Of Victoria Who Is Visiting Friends in Oakland

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis, Mrs. and Miss Garrison, H. Giblin and family, Mrs. W. Henry and sons, Charles Hirsch, Miss E. Healy, of Oakland, Miss H. Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cohen and Dr. and Mrs. J. Laughlin of Alameda and Mr. R. Smith of Emeryville.

their son, Herriek of Cleveland, Ohio, have been the guests of relatives. They left yesterday for Shasta Springs, where they expect to remain until the first of August. Upon their return they will continue their Oakland visit until the fall.

QUESTS AT BARTLETT SPRINGS.
Oakland folks registered at Bartlett Springs include: Mrs. O. Berne, James Hannan, C. S. Hannan, Loretta Hannan, C. Krosger and wife, George E. Tonnart, Charles Larson, P. K. Rich, Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenberg, Miss Helen Rosenberg, Edgar and Claude Rosenberg and C. M. Rosenberg and son.

From Alameda the following are stopping at the hotel: Mr. and Mrs. R. Swayne, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Tait, V. C. Smith and L. W. Bissell and wife.

GUEST OF SCHOOL FRIENDS.
Miss Helen Bancroft has been enjoying a delightful trip of two weeks in the Yosemite. After leaving the valley she went to Merced, where she has been the guest of school friends.

AUTOMOBILE TRIP.
Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Cornish of Redmont, have returned from an automobile trip to Shasta county. They spent a month in the mountains west of Redding, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Groome, former residents of Oakland.

GUESTS FROM CLEVELAND.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Dyer and

PERSONALS.
Miss Olive Bennetts and Miss Maude Rutherford are at Shasta where they will spend their vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason of Berkeley are at Carmel-by-the-Sea for a few days.

Miss Anna Poston will be the guest of friends at Crocker's where she will remain for a month.

Mrs. Alfred Pullen and her mother, Mrs. Lewis, of Denver, who have been the house guests of the Misses Von Weick, returned to their home this week.

The Misses Von Weick have had as their guest, Miss Myrtle Spencer of Los Angeles. Miss Spencer has now gone to Seattle.

Mrs. Frank A. Merckle is at Eagle's Nest, on the Russian river, for a three weeks' sojourn.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Joseph and Mrs. Mercy Connable, returned from Sonoma county Friday where they have enjoyed an outing of five weeks.

Mrs. Anna Wedekind is spending the month of July with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Hollister at Camp Meeker.

Miss Mabel Wright of this city has recently returned from an extended outing at Lake Tahoe.

10%

TAFT & PENNOYER

Semi-Annual

DISCOUNT SALE

10%

Special preparations have been made for the second week of our Semi-Annual Discount Sale. This sale is general throughout all sections of the Taft & Pennoyer store. The smallest discount is ten per cent. Many reductions are fifty per cent.

Our representatives are now in the East and Europe, and from the nature of the advance invoices we see that we shall need every inch of space for the display of Fall goods next month.

We are doing everything reasonable in the way of price-reducing to provide the needed room.

WALKING SKIRTS

All our stock of Walking Skirts in mixtures, panamas and worsteds—**HALF PRICE**
All Silk Dresses and Costumes—**25% OFF**

SILK WAISTS

A large variety of plain and mixed colors; short or long sleeves—**REDUCED AS FOLLOWS:**
\$12.50 Waists—NOW..... \$7.50
\$8.50 Waists—NOW..... \$5.00
\$6.00 Waists—NOW..... \$3.50

Black Lawn Waists

Tailored and embroidered; short and long sleeves; open front and back—**REDUCED AS FOLLOWS:**
\$2.75 Black Waists—NOW..... \$1.50
\$1.75 Black Waists—NOW..... \$1.00

TAILORED LINEN SUITS

Entire stock of tailored linen suits in plain and fancy effects—**REDUCED 25 to 50 per cent.**
Big reductions on all kinds of Tailored Suits.

DRESS GOODS

Our assortment of silk and silk and wool dress goods, white grounds with black lines, checks, plaids and figured designs, is now complete. These are the season's latest importations; they come in satins, velvets, Panamas and English serges; 44 to 50 inches wide—90c to \$2.75 a yd.

Thirty-inch imported challies; a full assortment of colors and designs—50c yd.

Twenty-eight-inch all-wool Henriettas in all colors—50c yd. **SPECIAL.**

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A TALK ON CATARRH.
Catarrh of the head causes deafness. Catarrh of the head causes blindness. Catarrh of the head taints your breath. Catarrh of the head causes Catarrh of the Stomach. Catarrh of the Stomach causes Cancer of the Stomach. Catarrh of the Stomach causes DEATH. **FREE CONSULTATION. HOURS 10 TO 1.**

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CONCERNING HEALTH and BEAUTY

By MRS. HENRY SYMES

"TO TIE UP HER BONNY BROWN HAIR"



Timely Suggestions

Concerning the Nails
TO HAVE pretty finger nails it is necessary to keep them properly manicured.

The nails should be filed in a curve which follows the shape of the end of the finger.

After the nails have been filed the finger tips should be held in hot, soapy water until the cuticle is soft, when it may be easily pushed back from the nail by means of an orangewood stick.

To give the nails a delicate rose tint they should be polished by applying some good ointment or powder.

In the interest of pretty nails it is a good habit to rub cold cream into the cuticle every night, always rubbing the cuticle away from the nails.

Another little habit is to always, when drying the hands, rub the cuticle back with the towel. These little habits help materially to keep the nails in order and greatly lighten the weekly manicuring process.

Cleansing Cream

There are many people whose skin is so dry that a cream "wash" is often a desirable substitute for the usual one of soap and water.

Here is a recipe for a cleansing cream which, I think, you will find valuable. I might add that the cream is free from all ingredients which have a tendency to promote a growth of hair. Apply the cream with the tips of the fingers—working up and out as in massage—to the face and neck; then remove with a soft towel. The recipe is: White wax, two ounces; spermaceti, two ounces; sweet almond oil, twelve ounces; distilled water, two ounces; glycerine, two ounces; salicylic acid, ninety grains.

A Simple Wash for the Skin
Cucumber wash is excellent for the skin at all seasons of the year, and now is the time to prepare it. To make it, take one or two cucumbers, cut them into rather small chunks without peeling. Put these into a mortar and pound with a pestle (or use a heavy wooden potato masher in a heavy earthenware bowl) until the mass is pulp-like in consistency. Now filter this through a piece of cheesecloth or very coarse muslin, squeezing out as much of the juice as you can.

Put all together in a clean enameled saucepan and simmer (don't boil) for ten minutes.

Re-strain and when cold add alcohol to the proportion of one tablespoonful to half a pint of the strained liquid. Bottle and use, instead of water, for spraying the face during the day.

The alcohol should preserve the juice.

Daily Baths
A daily bath is a necessity if the body is to be kept in a good, sound condition. If one's constitution will not permit of a daily plunge, the sponge bath will prove sufficient for all purposes of cleanliness and health.

Whether the bath should be a cold one in the morning or a hot one at night is to be determined by the physical strength of the bather.

A cold bath has a tendency to make the skin dry and harsh. To avoid this condition, some outdoor exercise should be taken soon after the bath.

This will promote perspiration and the action of the skin glands, thus making the skin soft and smooth again.

For nervous people, a bath in sea-water, or in water to which sea-salt has been added, will prove beneficial. The salt stimulates the heart and overcomes the exhausted feeling one so often experiences after some mental or physical strain.

The hot bath has a soothing effect, and often induces sleep to one who is inclined to be wakeful and restless.

The Cold Bath
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Health and Beauty Hints

Health Don'ts
DON'T eat when fatigued or overheated.
Don't bathe the body for at least an hour after eating.
Don't eat an excess of sugar, sweets and starchy foods.
Don't eat foods that disagree with you.
Don't be gloomy at mealtimes.
Don't eat between meals, and eat fruit or drink a glass of water before breakfast.

Care of the Hair
To have a head of luxuriant hair it is needful to take the utmost care of the scalp, for from an unhealthy scalp no one may expect beautiful hair to grow.

An important thing to do to increase the growth of the hair is to brush it throughout its entire length; this distributes the natural oil uniformly from end to end and also removes any dust that happens to fall upon the hair during the day.

The hair should never be bound up tightly for the night. If possible, it should be allowed to fall over the pillow.

low, so that the air may circulate through it. If it is too annoying to let the hair fall in this manner, part it down the middle and plait it loosely in two braids.

The hair needs more frequent washings in summer than in cooler weather. Various are the methods of cleansing the hair, but perhaps the simplest of all shampoos is the following: Dissolve half a cake of white soap in a quart of boiling water. Let it simmer half an hour over a slow fire. Dissolve a tablespoonful of washing soda in a quart of boiling water. The two quarts mixed together complete the preparation. Five rinsings are necessary.

Give Attention to the Teeth
There is nothing that adds so much charm to a person's beauty as pearly white teeth.

To insure healthy and beautiful teeth care should be given them from the time the baby teeth appear. Therefore it is important that all mothers pay strict attention to this detail until the children themselves are able to care for their teeth.

Cleanliness is the only way to overcome causes which, in time, destroy the teeth. They should be brushed night and morning and, if possible after every meal.

Do not brush the teeth across, but in a vertical direction; brushing the upper teeth with a downward motion and the lower ones with an upward motion.

An alkali is the main ingredient in most toothpastes. It may be used alone. It is always wise to substitute chalk for a questionable toothpaste.

Cleansing of Combs and Brushes
In order to have healthy and beautiful hair it is necessary to have all articles for dressing the hair perfectly clean.

The best way to cleanse brushes without softening the bristles is to put a teaspoonful of ammonia into a quart of water and soak the bristles of the brush in the solution (keeping the back of the brush out of water). The brush is then rinsed in fresh water and dried in the air—but not in the sun.

Combs may be cleaned in like manner, using a small brush or a coarse thread or cord between the teeth.



Advice to Correspondents

OWING to the great amount of mail received and the limited space given this department, it is absolutely impossible to answer letters in the Sunday issue following their receipt. The letters must be answered in turn, and this requires three or four weeks.

All correspondents who desire an immediate answer must inclose a self-addressed stamped envelope for a reply. This rule must also be complied with in regard to personal letters.

Witch Hazel Gold Cream
RESIDENT—I regret that it is against my rule to give the name and address of a skin specialist. I would suggest, however, that you massage each night with the recipe I am giving.

A thorough cleansing of the pores before applying the cream with a camel-hair face brush, hot water and soap, will prevent the cream from stimulating a growth of hair. Here is the recipe: White wax, one ounce; spermaceti, one ounce; oil of almond, one-fourth pint. Melt; very gradually add three ounces of rosewater and one ounce of witch hazel, and, as the mixture is stirred, until an emulsion is formed, and afterward until the mixture is nearly cold.

This cream is particularly useful to heal sore or stretched skin.

Cure for Bald Spots
D. G.—When the hair falls out in spots try the following wash: Distilled rosewater, six ounces; aromatic vinegar, five drams; pure glycerine, two and one-half ounces; tincture nux vomica, one-half ounce; tincture cantharides, two and one-half ounces.

Mix thoroughly. Apply night and morning.

Another very efficient remedy for bald spots is made as follows: Salicylic acid, ten grains; resin, eight grains;

phenol, five drops; lanolin (or vaseline), one ounce.

Rub into the part night and morning.

Cheeks Are Too Thin
SUBSCRIBER—To make thin cheeks plump rub a good skin food in with the following movements: To treat the right cheek, place the thumb of the left hand just beyond the corner of the mouth on the left cheek as a brace.

Make rotary movements upward and outward, beginning at the corner of the mouth and making three diverging lines of manipulation over the cheek. With the right hand treat the left cheek. About six times over each cheek is sufficient.

Use the lotion for premature wrinkles once a day.

This pomade should not be used as a massage cream, but should be applied after massage, to restore shrunken or flabby skin: Oil of sweet almonds, six ounces; white wax, three ounces; tincture benzoin, one and one-half ounces; rosewater, one and one-half ounces; pulverized tannin, six drams.

Hygienic Talcum Powder
F. E. T.—This powder is very easy to make at home. Parfina, starch, fifty grains; powdered talcum, twenty grains; powdered lycopodium, twenty grains; salol or boric acid, ten grains; essence of violet, twenty grains.

This lotion may be used as a wash when desired. Boracic acid, one dram; distilled witch hazel, two ounces; rosewater, two ounces.

Brown Spots on the Face
MYRA—Brown spots are generally caused by liver trouble. The recipe I am giving you will fade the spots somewhat: Salicylic acid, sixty grains; bay rum, four ounces.

Label. Apply night and morning with a soft cloth or sponge. This lotion soon produces a slight roughness

of the skin, which should be subdued by the use of glycerine or starch.

This may also be tried in case of obstinate freckles: Lactic acid three ounces, glycerine, four ounces, rosewater, one ounce.

This is to be gently applied by means of a camel-hair brush. If the skin becomes irritated or sore, omit one or two days' treatment.

Troubled With Acne
PET—Open each seed acne with the point of a fine cambric needle. The hardened mass must be pressed or picked out. The empty sac of the gland should then be bathed with a little toilet vinegar and water, or with a very weak solution of carbolic acid and water. Sterilize the needle before using it by dipping into boiling water, as the use of any instrument, unless thoroughly cleansed, is dangerous. The skin, also, should be carefully cleansed.

To Expand the Chest
XYZ—Depress the chest, letting the shoulders come forward, with the head up and back. Raise the chest by muscular effort, not by breathing, to the point of greatest expansion. Raise and lower the chest in this way eight times.

The following recipe makes a good vermifuge: Fluid extract of sassafras, five fluid ounces; fluid extract of scilla, five fluid ounces; oil of anise, ten drops; oil of caraway, ten drops; simple syrup, eight fluid ounces.

Dose, one or more teaspoonfuls for adults, one-half teaspoonful for children, at intervals until purging commences.

Tea as a Hair Stain
WINNIE—The sage tea mixture is one of the simplest forms of dyes or stains. It will not harm your hair in any way. This is the recipe for the tea: Alcohol, two ounces; green tea, two ounces; garden sage, dried, two ounces. After straining, keep tightly corked to prevent evaporation.

SWEET LAVENDER

"And lavender—to look amidst the labours of her loom, and crown her kerchiefs clean with mickle rare perfume."

THE lines tell us just where lavender is appropriate and lovable.

One girl has a happy inspiration this summer, and I am going to tell you about it. She is visiting at a quaint old home where a bed of lavender thrives, and she is making the most fascinating little bags of lavender and placing them away carefully for Christmas gifts—especially to those young matrons who are gloving in the mysteries of a linen closet.

Lavender has such a faint and unobtrusive fragrance that in poetry, you see, as well as in everyday judgment, it is singled out as the appropriate perfume for household linen and lingerie.

The girl whom I have presented to you is making charming sachet bags of lavender silk, and these she covers with dotted swiss and ties with lavender ribbons; others are made of silk in the faintest of lavender shades and are left uncovered.

But the prettiest of all is the little bag of scrim upon which is worked in old-time cross-stitch a basket full of posies. This makes a quaint little gift for the newly installed matron.

To put with lingerie the lavender tied in a fair linen bag with lavender ribbon is daintiest.

We read that it is profitable to raise lavender, and what more delicate occupation for a dainty lady than to tend a bed of lavender?

Lavender is not difficult to grow. Plant it in the open—where the sun and air have full access—in light, sandy soil, which requires little fertilizing.



It needs little water. In winter the plant must be protected from the cold. The cultivation of the little plant is a pleasurable pastime, for its demands are small and it responds so prettily to the slightest attention.

Julia Thunder Tells History

said, desperately "Ask her, please, if I may interview her."

"This man said the artist to the Indian writes things and puts them in the papers." There was a note of apology in her voice as she continued. He has to do it to earn his living—he's not strong enough to work.

The writer had entertained some story-book impression that Indians, to be real Indians, need must grunt when



A FEW MINUTES *with the* ABSENT-MINDED PROFESSOR

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SOUGHT DEATH TO AID HER STARVING FAMILY

WEARIES OF WHY ELOPE CONVICT AT THIRD TOIL WEDDING?

J. Dalzell Brown Complains of Rheumatism to Escape Work in the San Quentin Prison Jute Mill

Shamming rheumatism yesterday, Dalzell Brown made another unsuccessful attempt to escape the hard work that Walter Hoyle has set him in the jute mill.

When the "medicine line" formed yesterday morning Brown was in the ranks along with all the ailing convicts of the prison. When Dr. Stone, the prison physician came to Brown he asked: "Well, my man, what seems to be the trouble with you?"

JAYS HE HAS RHEUMATISM.

Brown tried to affect a pained look and answered, "I have rheumatism, doctor, in the hip and right shoulder and arm."

"You are troubled in too many places," Stone told him, "go back to your work."

As soon as the prison guards saw Brown in line with the sick convicts they decided to put a stop to his game. Some of them had lost money in the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company failure and consequently have no love for the imprisoned president of the defunct institution. So when the watchers found out what Brown's game was they decided that he had been extremely active in jumping from a big red automobile on his return from San Francisco two days ago, and they told Dr. Stone that Brown was shamming. Consequently the banker is again in the jute mill with other felons.

COMMON WITH CONVICTS.

Dr. Stone said later "This complaining of rheumatism is very common with convicts when they want to get out of work for a few days. And it is very difficult to catch them at the trick because it is almost impossible to detect symptoms of the ailment in any case."

At their monthly meeting yesterday the prison directors decided to no longer give out the names of paroled convicts. There is a State law forbidding the publicity, and hereafter they say, the convicts' names will be kept secret.

Ground plans for the new prison were adopted by the board.

See That Your Name Is on Great Register

If you wish to vote at the coming election in November and have not already registered, neglect that duty no longer.

If you registered last year that does not entitle you to vote this year. You must have registered since the beginning of the year or you will lose your right to vote in November.

If you desire to vote at the August primaries your name must be on the great register at the various police stations. If you have changed your residence since registering last year you cannot vote at the primary under the law of the State.

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IGNITED CANOLE CAUSES DEATH OF AGED PIONEER

Others of Sonoma Resident Burn With Fatal Result.

SANTA ROSA, July 11.—While walking about his home on the outskirts of Sonoma at night, a candle he was carrying ignited the clothes of A. J. Van Every and he was so badly burned that death resulted the next day. He had been a resident of California for more than sixty years, coming in 1848. Since 1852 he had been a resident of Sonoma county. At the time of the accident Van Every and his aged wife were alone in the house and she was unable to help him. The deceased was a veteran Odd Fellow.

Mrs. Derby Wayne's Alleged \$500,000 Estate Not Known to Residents Where It Was Thought Located.

SAN BERNARDINO, July 11.—If property in this vicinity involved in Mrs. Wayne's name was the real reason for the extraordinary attempts to keep quiet her wedding to Frederick Wayne in this city Tuesday, the location of the alleged half million dollar estate is the great secret in connection with elopement and marriage of these two middle-aged lovers.

For, from well-authenticated sources, the only estate which Mrs. Derby Wayne has figured in in the last fifteen years since her first husband's death, has been a bequest of \$1500 which was left to Marie E. Derby, her daughter, by John P. Derby of Saginaw, Mich., her grandfather, who died about a year ago.

HER FIRST VISIT.

Mrs. Derby is scarcely known in San Bernardino, her wedding trip being possibly her first visit here.

It was Mrs. Derby's third matrimonial venture and yet there were mysterious reasons that it should be an elopement and secret wedding. Her first husband was Clarence E. Derby, whom she married in Saginaw, Mich. Derby was the son of a prominent grocer and his father gave him an interest in the business. Fifteen years ago he died but left no fortune.

Later Mrs. Derby was injured in a street car accident in Milwaukee. It is said she received a goodly sum as personal damages but the figure would be dwarfed alongside of half a million. Then she married again, the second husband being George L. Taylor, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Saginaw. The marriage was an unhappy one and in a short time Taylor got a divorce, but it did not bring any great amount of alimony to Mrs. Derby who went back to her first husband's name on account of the daughter she had borne him.

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MOTHER OF NINE.

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"I could not go out any more and I thought perhaps if I gave up my life this way, some one would hear about us and maybe take care of my poor children," cried the woman between the sobs that convulsed her as she lay on a cot at the Emergency Hospital to which place she had been taken after being rescued.

A FAMISHED LIFE.

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The grief that came to such a tragic crisis overcame the woman and she gave way to violent weeping that would not be comforted. Between sobs, she cried out in the very abandonment of despair over the helpless homelessness of her little brood.

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KATE AND MARY WELCH, TWO OF THE CHILDREN OF MRS. WELCH.

girls were in each other's arms, crying hysterically.

What will poor Raymond say? He has been like a father to us ever since he was fourteen. He is our oldest brother and this will just about finish him," added Lizzie, a blue-eyed miss of seventeen. The excitement of the sudden terror in her glistening heart heightened the color in her otherwise pallid face, and her masses of blonde hair hung in disheveled wisps and curls.

A BARE CUPBOARD.

The woman's story was only too terribly true. The family cupboard, bare of everything except a bacon rind and a dry crust of bread that no self-respecting dog would touch told its grim story of destitution—destitution in a land of plentiful abundance. In a season when the orchards blossomed with the purple, the orange and crimson of ripened fruits. On the dilapidated beds the bedding was such as one would not care to put into a kennel. The floors were bare of carpet, and every bit of furniture was in such a rickety state that it had long ago outlived any pretense to its original utility.

PITIFUL APOLOGY.

"I'm sorry things look so bad," apologized Lizzie, very much embarrassed.

"But you see, we had to sell all our good things to keep up the payments on our home, and now that we were unable to keep these up, we were turned out of the house, although we had paid over \$2000 on it, and now we have nothing. The man through whom mother did the business, Frank J. Martin, of Berkeley, lets us live in this house for nothing, but it is just barely a roof and a floor—a little better than the street, but that is all. Mother has worried so much over the transaction that I think it has sort of unstrung her and that is why she has tried to drown herself."

FAMILY IN TEARS.

At the thought of her mother's act, the girl began weeping anew. Presently the younger children, touched by the sight of their big sister in tears, joined in the sobbing.

According to the story of Mrs. Welch and corroborated by the older children, the Welch property at 377 Center street, which the woman bought of the firm of Ira Vaughan of West Oakland, and which she sold through Frank Martin of Berkeley, was taken from their possession through dealings with these parties. At any rate, Mr. Vaughan admits that Mrs. Welch paid over \$2000 on the place, but he disclaims that the transaction was not strictly honorable. It was a most complicated deal, involving several pieces

GIRL MINER BEATEN TO DEATH

Quarrel Over Claim in Oregon Leads to Trouble and Assault—Is Pursued by Sheriff's Posse.

MERLIN, Or., July 11.—Miss Emma G. Robinson, a girl miner, who has been "holding down" a mining claim near Galice, twenty miles from here, was fatally beaten by an unknown man last night.

Her assailant broke into the cabin, beat her terribly on the head with a revolver, tied her to her bed and took all her clothing off.

TROUBLE OVER CLAIM.

The attack is supposed to have been the result of trouble over the claim which Miss Robinson was developing.

This community is greatly excited and the Sheriff has taken a posse to arrest a man who is suspected.

Miss Robinson is unconscious and it

RICH MAN SUFFERS MORE THAN POOR MAN, HE SAYS

Much Harder to Live on \$50,000 Than \$10 a Week

NEW YORK, July 11.—Persons in the fifteen-week class will be interested in hearing that Stuyvesant Fish, former president of the Illinois Central Railroad, says this:

"In my opinion it is really harder for persons who have had an income of, say, \$225,000 a year, to come down to live on a \$50,000 year basis than a man who has been earning \$15 a week to accustom himself to living on \$1 a week."

GREATER SUFFERING.

In Mr. Fish's opinion the relative suffering is greater.

The big financier made this statement today to a reporter as he boarded the steamer New York of the American line, with Mrs. Fish, bound to tour Europe in their automobile.

It is thought that her skull is fractured. She was a teacher in the For and public schools and resigned two years ago to enter the real estate business in which she was successful.

Her brother-in-law, Professor Anderson, is a member of the faculty of the Idaho State University at Moscow.

They have no fixed abode.

"There is no indication of a revival of business," went on Mr. Fish, with an air of gloom. "I base this observation on conditions as they exist in Newport. Wealthy persons there are not paying cash for their customary expenditures, but are stretching their credit as far as possible."

"There are many who are unable to find the needed cash."

TAKES GLOOMY OUTLOOK.

Having stated the outlook as one who looks through the windows of a cottage at Newport, Mr. Fish continued:

"The railroads this year will show big earnings, but the net earnings will be low, this being due to the excessive wages demanded by labor. There are signs of splendid crops, but the farmers will get most of the profits. The army of the unemployed will grow. Rich men who stay in this country will be heavily bled for campaign contributions on the plea that the election of some candidate who can restore normal conditions must be insured. August will be dull in all lines, as is customary in a campaign year, and I look for a louder chorus of the hard-times cry."

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ROOSEVELT IS NOT TO SPEAK

Although He Will Decline to Take the Stump, the President Will Be Active in the Coming Campaign

WASHINGTON, July 11.—President Roosevelt will not take the stump this fall to urge the election of Judge Taft, say his friends of the President here. But he will not remain inactive. By letters and through personal representatives he will make appeals to friends to support Taft and the Republican ticket generally.

National Chairman Hitchcock reached Washington this morning from his conference with Nominee Taft at Hot Springs, Va. Mr. Hitchcock had nothing to say as to the conference and little to say as to his immediate plans.

“I reached Washington this morning,” said Mr. Hitchcock. “I shall be probably a day or two. Although I am not yet certain, I may leave for New York tomorrow night to arrange here for the headquarters of the National Committee. From New York I will go to Utica, the middle of the week, where I will hold a conference with Mr. Sherman, the Vice Presidential nominee.

“I have nothing to say on the political situation proper. I don't talk about these things, you know.”

Elmer Dover, Secretary of the Republican National Committee, was summoned to Hot Springs by Mr. Taft last night and reached that place this morning about the same Mr. Hitchcock reached Washington. Mr. Dover will go to Chicago, it is thought, to look after political work in the Western field.

FALLS VICTIM TO DART OF CUPID



MRS. R. M. MOORE, woman theatrical manager, who married banker in El Paso, Texas.

Woman Theatrical Manager Weds After Being Ardentlly Courted for Four Years.

CHICAGO, July 11.—Miss Elizabeth Schober, who gained fame as the “woman theatrical manager,” has at last fallen victim to Dan Cupid. She is now Mrs. R. M. Moore, wife of a banker of El Paso, Texas, who is reported to be a millionaire. The wedding took place in El Paso, Texas.

Behind this announcement lies a romantic courtship of even years, punctuated freely with “now on the part of the young woman and dashed determination on the part of the wooer. The acquaintance began in El Paso, Tex., where both formerly lived. Mrs. Moore at that time was office manager of a shoe manufactory, and at this capacity handled the banking business of the firm. Mr. Moore was an official of the Union National Bank of El Paso.

A few months after he had been presented to her he is said to have proposed. Miss Schober said “no.”

Undaunted, Mr. Moore tried again, only to be met with the same reply. Perseveringly thereafter he called on Miss Schober, to receive the same reply. But he persevered for four years.

Miss Schober became manager of the Bush Temple Theater on the north side. Mr. Moore followed her to that place with better luck than formerly. His last visit to Chicago was during the winter. He called at the Schober home, 280 La Salle avenue, in the morning, while Miss Schober was supervising the daily rehearsal at the College Theater. He was received by Mrs. Schober, the mother, who was recovering from a serious illness, and was sympathetic with her when the daughter returned. Before he left that day Moore had won her promise to become his wife at the end of the theatrical season.

MEETS FIANCE IN TEXAS.

A month ago Miss Schober journeyed to El Paso, where she rested until last week, when she was joined by her fiancé.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore left shortly after the ceremony for a trip to the coast. They will return to El Paso within a month. It is probable that their future home will be Chicago.

BRYAN OWNS PLATFORM PARTY BODY AND SOUL

Sole Boss Makes It Jump Through Hoop, Play Dead and Beg

BY SAMUEL G. BLYTHE.

DENVER, July 11.—Looking back over a vociferous and vocal ten days, when there was free trade on language and a high protective tariff, a Chinese wall, so to speak, around initiative, the one impression that is most vivid is that William Jennings Bryan owns the Democratic party; owns its body, soul and breeches, uses it to his own ends, makes it jump through a hoop, play dead and beg, has it bottled and canned and does not purpose to take any partners in the enterprise.

This has been a personally conducted campaign. Bryan has officiated as the man with the megaphone. Every time he told the cumbersome mass of delegates (there to register the free will of an untamed people) to stop, the delegates stopped. Every time he told them to go on they went on. Not a thing has been done in Denver without the sanction of Mr. Bryan. Not a thing has been accomplished that he opposed. Not a thing has been left undone that he desired accomplished.

ROOSEVELT MEN ADVISER.

They talk about President Roosevelt dominating the Chicago convention, and he did dominate it, but his domination was more supervision and advisory in its capacity when it is compared with the control Bryan had at Denver.

There never was a minute, either in the preliminaries or the actualities, in this city when Mr. Bryan was not in absolute control. He dictated every policy. He selected every official of the convention. He told the delegates whom they must recognize and whom they must refuse to recognize. He even went so far as to dictate the order in which certain of his nominating and endorsing speeches were to be made. He ran things down to the smallest detail.

SULLEN UNDERCURRENT.

At the same time there was a sullen undercurrent against him. Delegates from State after State who grabbed up their standards and marched around the hall during the hysterical outbursts of applause that greeted his name on the second and third days of the convention reviled him in private and cheered until they were black in the face in public. There were more than a thousand delegates in the convention, and aside from a few fanatics, most of them think they are going to certain defeat by nominating Bryan, but they jumped in enthusiastically and named him just the same.

Bryan sat over on his porch in Fairview, snug and content. He had the machinery in his control. He knew he was making his last fight, and he saw to it that he won the preliminary.

Political observers know that expert political opinion is the most specious thing on earth. There never was a politician who was broad enough to read to all the signs. Most of the delegations were politicians. They came to Denver and nominated Bryan because they thought the people wanted him, not because they wanted him themselves.

ARBITRARY BOSS.

Bryan has developed into enough of a politician to know the feeling among the people. He was sure of his ground. He knew that most of the delegates would be afraid to go home if they voted for any person than himself, and, knowing this, which was what the delegates knew also, he was in a commanding position and he made the most of it.

There never was a boss who was as arbitrary as Bryan has been in these past two weeks. No man, in the palmy days of machine politics, has ever assumed such complete control of preliminaries and actualities. Bryan dominated everything. Anxious to win, knowing he will never have another opportunity to run, he changed his tactics from those of the Bryan of eight and twelve years ago, who pinned all on a principle and subordinated self to the personal idea of what was right.

BECOMES OPPORTUNIST.

Bryan this year is an opportunist. He is willing to make any conclusion that can help him win. He prepared the platform, to be sure, but he prepared it like a man who is willing to take what he can get rather than like a man who is determined to get what he believes is right. He sent out a completed draft of the platform, and made a series of planks, each separately prepared. He had planks ready for any contingency and arranged to meet any want of the public or the party mind. On some of the principles he desired to incorporate in the resolutions he sent in half a dozen planks, differing in verbiage and in intent, with instructions to the messengers who had them to incorporate any one that met with the smallest opposition and that could be approved by the largest number of the members on the committee.

CALLS A “PLANT.”

In some circles this is called a “plant.” Bryan had men with resolutions fitted to any emergency. If one wouldn't do, another might. His sole purpose has been to prepare a set of resolutions broad enough to get everybody in on, for Mr. Bryan is tired on falling outside the brackets of his principles. He wants to get inside the fortifications with projects, if he can. He needs the place. He wants to be President. He is not battling for any particular tenet this year. He is making the fight for W. J. Bryan, and, having arrived at this frame of mind, he has been remorseless and vengeful. He has hit every head that has bobbed up in opposition to him. He has used guillotine, axe, noose and club. He has been a case of all who are for Bryan and all who are not for Bryan must be offered up as a warning for wavering others to get into line.

They struggled for fifty-two hours on the platform. It reminded one of a fixed wrestling match. Everybody knew what the result would be. They put out a platform that is calculated to suit everybody.

NO IMPETUOSITY.

You do not find any young and impetuous W. J. Bryan charging down

PROSPERITY ASSURED BY TAFT

E. H. Gary Predicts Normal Conditions When Republican Victory Is Announced.

NEW YORK, July 11.—E. H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, has before his subject for Europe, in discussing the steel situation, the political outlook and general business affairs, said:

“From the viewpoint of the United States Steel corporation the steel and steel business has been better during the last two weeks than at any time since the depression of last October. Undoubtedly the result of the Chicago convention has contributed largely to this favorable condition.

“The tendency since the beginning of the election year has been toward improvement, with some fluctuations under the requirements in prices which were made in the early part of June when the making of orders in most lines was practically suspended. This was because many of those who were contemplating additional purchases were in doubt as to whether or not there would be further advances.

“BOTTOM PRICES REACHED.

“However, there seems to be a general feeling that bottom prices have been reached, and this, coupled with the anticipated increase in the Chicago convention, has increased the demand for steel. It is hoped present conditions will not be maintained during the summer, although it is expected business will not be entirely satisfactory until there is a general feeling that the steel situation is settled.

“When that time arrives it seems to me that at least the iron and steel industry of this country will be prosperous.

“The necessities of the purchasing community are greater than ever before and ability to pay is greater than ever before. Of course, the latter part of that statement is subject to question. Many of the railroad companies at present are embarrassed by lack of funds, and these difficulties will surely be enough to hamper the business of the country. Many of the railroad companies already have taken steps to finance their requirements and all are beginning to feel that money is plentiful and cheap and easy to obtain when first-class securities are offered.

SAYS NEED IS CONFIDENCE.

“All that is required to bring about satisfactory business conditions is confidence and confidence is the result of restoration of perfect confidence and that seems to be near at hand. In many lines of business there is no ground for pessimism. The departments of the agricultural implement, for instance, the sales per day are now the greatest in the history of the country. This seems to demonstrate two things: first, that the farmers are getting wealth producers of the country, and have confidence in financial conditions, and that they are satisfied with crop prospects for the coming year.

“The basic conditions of the country are sound. First of all, the moral tone of the people has been elevated. Multitudes have been thoroughly converted to the Christian religion.

“It would be useless for any one of us to deny that we have been aroused to a keener appreciation of the old motto of honesty. The public credit will be given to President Roosevelt for the efforts he has made to raise the standard of business conduct.

“Possibly in the determination of some questions or in the methods pursued by some of the members of the President's official family, mistakes have been made, but it is to be regretted that it is most unfortunate that the innocent should suffer for the offenses of others. But that the motive has always been high and that the result of the whole thing will be of great and lasting benefit is the general opinion of a grateful nation.

“Again it is a day of reconciliation and co-operation—between competitors in business, the employer and the laborer, the government and the citizen, the public and the individual. The problem of co-operation prevails extensively and is here to remain. We shall all be benefited by it.

“Then, too, financial conditions are improved and improving. The legislation recently enacted is a step in the right direction. Next autumn will not witness a repetition of the scenes of October 3, 1907, and the country will be worked out a financial system which will provide funds for the expansion or contraction of the volume of business and for the immediate liquidation of particular facilities which result from the exigencies of time and place.

“The wise are even now preparing to reap the benefit when the tide of business fully returns. We shall do business on a basis different and much better than it has been during the last few years. We shall keep our money closely within the limits of our resources, but we shall have confidence in the future.”

ANXIOUS SEAT FOR BOURBON MINIONS

Spinx of Nebraska Has Not Yet Chosen Campaign Chairman

(BY WILLIAM H. CULVER.)

DENVER, July 11.—Members of the Democratic National committee are still on the anxious seat about their chairman. No news came from Lincoln, Nebraska, on that subject today, consequently not a single member of the committee has a definite idea on the subject.

When politicians are gathered together, however, they just naturally have to gossip and do a little slandering to keep their hands in, so it is quite natural that there should be some few slanders framed up to slate for Bryan. And thus far among the gentlemen who are here, John H. Atwood holds the list of probabilities for campaign manager.

There are objections to Atwood, though. He comes from Kansas, and that does not help fix the Bryan idea to get electoral vote of some of the Eastern states and the East does not like Kansas. The name smacks of Populism and the mere word “Populism” makes the average Easterner, whether a Bryanite or not, go goose-flesh all over. Up New England way Populism is something to be avoided like rabies and tetanus.

CAMPUS WAS BEATEN.

After Atwood, but some distance after him, comes D. J. Campau, of Michigan. Campau is regular all right, but he had the misfortune to be beaten for membership on the committee in his own state. That does not disqualify him for the chairmanship, but it gives him many pounds of extra weight to carry in the race. His appointment would stir up all the bitterness of the fight in which he was beaten.

The dark horse in the race is James W. Kerr, of Pennsylvania. Very deep in his heart Bryan has a feeling for Kerr. It was the gentleman from Philadelphia who triumphed over Jas. M. Guffey after Bryan himself had battered that white haired patriot to his knees with heavy weight epithets.

COULD GET SOMETHING.

Then, too, Kerr is looked upon as a gentleman who could, in the terse language of John B. Hordick, “get out and get something.” And it is understood that the Bryan campaign this year is to be one that will require the services of several persons who can go out and get something.

With that very end of a campaign fund in view, former Governor David R. Francis of Missouri has been mentioned as a possibility for the chairmanship of the executive committee. He is a native who is in touch with the interests but he loves Bryan about as much as Roger C. Sullivan does.

It is doubtful, too, if Francis would take the place, as he was the intimate of Governor Cleveland and a member of his cabinet in the later days of 1896 when Bryan repudiated the administration. Also Mr. Francis is one of those who does not exactly believe that Mr. Bryan has politically reformed since he made his initial race for the Presidency a long time ago.

CORPORATION LAWYER.

John E. Lamb of Terre Haute, Ind., is still another of those “prominently mentioned” for the chairmanship. Mr. Lamb is the friend of John W. Kerr, the bewildered tail of the Bryan ticket. Also he is about the biggest corporation lawyer of Indiana, and likewise in touch with the interests. But the whole thing is mere speculation. The members of the committee will know whom they want for chairman when they get to Lincoln and Mr. Bryan tells them.

Trey Woodson can have the secretaryship again if he wants it or will take it. There is no doubt of that. Nineteenth of the members of the committee would vote for him whether Mr. Bryan told them to or not.

VISIT TO BRYAN.

The committee is going to visit Mr. Bryan in style. A special train has been secured for the members, which will leave for Lincoln at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon and reach Lincoln at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning. Temporary chairman Thomas Taggart made the arrangements and he has assured the members all the comforts of home and then some on the journey. Mrs. Ruth Bryan-Leavitt will go along with the committee to give her congratulations in person to her father.

The meeting of the committee will be held in Lincoln and not at Fairview. That will save Roger C. Sullivan some embarrassment, as it would have been rather difficult for him to have crossed the Bryan threshold after the hard words that Bryan passed between him and Mr. Taggart. Naturally he can meet the committee in the morning and the committee will be helped to nominate on neutral ground without keeping one eye on the door.

SULLIVAN SURPRISES FRIENDS.

The fact that Sullivan is going at all has surprised his friends here. They have not just figured out his attitude or what he means. One of them has a theory that the boss of Illinois is playing the game of politics. It is that a deep game of Sullivan is going to be played with Bryan, that he will go into the campaign in earnest and do all in his power for the ticket, confident, though that Bryan will be beaten despite his (Sullivan's) best efforts.

The end and object of such doings would be the complete elimination of Millard Fillmore Dunlap and Judge O. P. Thompson and their supporters from Sullivan's path. The boss of the opposition of Sullivan for the past six years was Dunlap. Thompson and all the rest were given in 1901, but that was the real one. Dunlap, Thompson and all their followers fought Sullivan as Bryan men against an anti-Bryan man.

FIGHTS FOR BRYAN.

Now, Sullivan's friend thinks, the astute boss is going to cut the ground from under him by making a better fight for Bryan than they could make if they were in power. That notion is all theory, however. Roger has not confirmed it.

At last a reason has been found for the nomination of John W. Kerr for the Vice-Presidency at Bryan's behest. It was because of the closest advisers of the Nebraska man who had an iniquitous tendency, caused by the rarified atmosphere. Mr. Bryan, the friend said, did not want a person of individual importance or pronounced views on the ticket with him.

WANTED NONENTITY.

He wanted not only a Bryan-made platform, but a nonentity as running mate. He was ready to accept Judge Gray, because he would in all probability remain close at home and do little talking in the campaign. But John Mitchell would be a candidate who would take the stump and present his own views instead of making himself a human phonograph. Mr. Bryan wanted a phonograph and when Kerr was suggested to him he grabbed the Indiana quick as the least known man among the fifty-seven varieties of candidates, and the one who was farthest from having views of his own.

This campaign, said the friend of the Nebraska man, is to be a Bryan campaign from the organization of the national committee to the naming of the polls on election day and the name of Democratic party is only for the voters and not to terrify the candidate.

STORY OF JOHNSON.

This is a story told on Tom L. Johnson, Mayor of Cleveland, who wanted to be re-elected national committeeman from Ohio. While he was held up by floods the Ohio delegation held a caucus and chose Harvey Garber as Tom's successor. Johnson came a day later. Then he heard of the action of the caucus, went before the national committee and asked it to settle one of the Ohio contests in his favor so he could be re-elected and the committee did as it was asked. Next he called a new caucus and he got three votes.

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THIS PEGASUS IS SCARED TO DEATH

Automobile and Trolley Car Prove too Much For Frightened Horse.

MARYSVILLE, July 11.—The combination of a trolley car and an automobile proved too much for a Pegasus, a horse driven by Miss Bessie King of Sutter City, and the animal dropped dead from the seat of the trolley car.

Miss King and her sister, Pearl, were driving to the city today when at a point opposite the City House they entered an automobile, the sight of which frightened the animal and caused it to run for the subway walk. The young lady driving managed to turn the frightened animal started to run eastward through the subway. When the middle of the subway had been reached, a trolley car came along and the animal, it is said, was suddenly and dropped in his tracks.

The young ladies quickly alight from the car and bystanders upon making an examination of the horse, found the animal to be dead.

AUTOS HAVE A DIFFICULT RUN

BEDFORD SPRINGS, Pa., July 11.—Despite the fact that a more wicked route could hardly have been found than the one from Pittsburgh today, nearly all the cars got through today within the limit, and there were no accidents to any of the tourists. This was surprising considering the tough places the cars had to pass over. One car, an overland, driven by F. B. Boston, was stuck in a new pitfall and that put it out of the Hower trophy. There are nine now left with clean scores in that event.

Club teams are holding out well. The three Trojans, representing the Bay State Club of Boston, are doing splendid work. So are the three Studebakers from Bedford. And the Armory dispatch club is holding its own admirably, carrying three newspapers.

Hal Sheridan, winner of last year's Hower trophy, kept out of the race. In White though not entered this year are attracting attention are F. E. Wing and J. W. Mann. Both of them are the first year for Maguire. Charles Burman is guiding the Fearless outfit in capital shape.

But Shirley was late again today, but Mrs. Conso got in on time. One of the Garfords, driven by W. B. Herbert, lost some points by doing some mechanical work and the Cleveland Club will lose some points. All the other teams got through without penalization, so the score is practically the same as yesterday, with eight teams tied for first place.

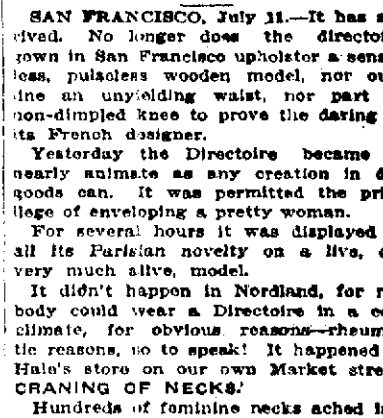
PROTEST MADE AT ATTEMPTED CHANGE

Colorado People Don't Want Pike's Peak to Bear the Name of James.

DENVER, July 11.—The attempt made by an Iowa State college professor to have the name of Pike's Peak changed to James' Peak has met with a vigorous protest from the people of Colorado. Pike did not reach his summit but he tried hard enough and almost lost his life in the effort. The death James' lived the name and for years it bore his name, but the people of Colorado and the government officially never recognized any other name than that of Pike. Two years ago the people of Colorado celebrated at Colorado Springs Pike's expedition and the government was represented by Vice President Fairbanks, Senators, Congressmen and Federal troops.

DIRECTOIRE GOWN COMING GRADUALLY

**Slashed Costume on Exhibition
San Francisco Department
Store.**



night when their owners bought the pillows. It isn't so easy as you might

think, trying to squeeze your way through a vugged mass of wonderment-pop-eyed women who were there to let the Directorate were actually as dreadful as its reputation.

The gown was plum-colored brocade, with collar of exaggerated height and fastened at the side with a pair of Bands of Egyptian embroidery were fastened up in trimming. The sleeves were of shirred chiffon, white net forming a yoke and collar. Colonial buckram ornamented the patent-leather pump worn by the graceful demonstrators of the Directorate idea.

Another step and the Directorate will be with us on our thoroughfares.

NEW PARTY SHOWS A LARGE GROWTH

Leaders of Independence Movement Are Surprised by Enthusiasm Aroused.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The people here are taking a lively interest in the movement of the Independence party, and the indications are that a mass meeting to be held in Maso-

pronounced success. Victor J. Eys, chairman of the executive committee of the Independence party in this city, said today that members of the executive committee are actively at work

At the meeting delegates will be selected to attend the national convention, to be held in Chicago July 23.

Chairman Evans says there is large sentiment here in favor of Independence party and that there

be no question but the new party
afford a refuge for thousands of
Bryan, Democrats.

Thomas L. Hilsen of Springfield, Mass., Herbert E. Bryant of Plymouth, Mass., Dr. George L. Crockett of Rockland, Me., and others who spoke last night at the first public meeting of the

The character of the audience and the enthusiasm shown surprised even the men who have been promoting interests of the new organization.

interests of the new organization in this State. Cheers and applause frequently interrupted the speakers as principles of the new party were pounded, and the practices of the parties exposed.

as follows: C. Lester Amos of Brocton, Edward H. Grove of Biddle, Dr. George L. Crockett of Rockledge, G. T. Messerve of Madison, Miss Beckwith of Ellsworth and Frank Mitchell of Bangor.

It was, unanimously voted to send these men to the National Independence League convention in order that they might come closer in touch with the national work of the party, than they might carry out the work of

they might carry out the work in the State with a thorough understanding and in a harmonious manner.

LEASE IS CHARGE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Edw. A. Kell, brother of Police Commissioner Hugo Kell, today was charged with fraud and willful misrepresentation in a complaint for damages filed by Heller. The

In the complaint it is alleged that K president of the Vienna Model Bakery incorporated, allowed James E. Mo

his bookkeeper, to pose as the president of the company in securing a lease of the property in which the bakery is situated at Geary and Stockton streets. This was done, it is charged, to provide a way of escape for the company if

In the complaint it is stated the lease was negotiated on June 1, 1907, and was to begin at \$450 per month for the first year and continue on an upward basis.

until the rental reached \$750 in seventh year. And since January 1 of this year, the complaint recites, rent has been forthcoming..

Frank E. Powers, acting for his sister Lillian Powers, who granted the lease,

states in the complaint that he believed the false representations as to the president of the company were made so that the institution could not be held for a debt if the business did not pay.

Edward A. Kell, his wife, Mary Kell; her sister and brother, Hann Leary John Leary, James E. Morso and five other persons are named as stockholders or employees of the corporation.

The damages asked are \$3200 and costs of suit.

San Francisco.	Excellent Cafe on the Grounds
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LEAGUERS JOIN HANDS WITH THE DEMOCRATS

Plan to Beat the Regular Republicans
and Send Bell to the Legislature.

(By The Seer in Sacramento Union.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The "regular" politicians of all the "parties" in this city are slowly settling down to the belief that Frank R. Devlin, Chester H. Rowell, Marshall Stimson, and Meyer Lissner, of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, and Theodore A. Bell, of the Democratic party, are in agreement, or understanding whereby the league is to support at the coming election, in certain legislative districts, Democratic senators and assemblymen.

The machine new papers have frequently alleged of late that some such arrangement exists, but only in a general and fragmentary way; now, however, the evidence is being accumulated so fast and is, without, so overwhelming that little or no doubt is longer entertained that a Democratic Legislature even if it causes Taft and Sherman to lose the state, is the ultimate aim of the League.

BUNCOMBE THAT FAILS.

Since the adjournment of the Sacramento convention, Devlin, Rowell, Stimson and their colleagues have realized that the political buncombe worked by them in their respective sections has failed utterly in its purpose. Their newspapers, comprising principally the Los Angeles Express, Stockton Record, Oakland Enquirer (Parsons' paper), and Fresno Republican (Rowell's paper), and editors have mainly confined themselves to lambasting W. F. Herrin of the Southern Pacific of firing the popular heart and setting the people to tearing their hair, this has merely credited Herrin with a great deal of power he never aspired to possess, and made his office in the Flood building a Mecca for "reformers" of all classes and conditions. Indeed, I am reliably informed that this place is daily filled with Lincoln-Roosevelt politicians, who stand with offers to join the machine if assured of an office. Herrin is said to be amazed at the greatness the Luncheon party has suddenly thrust upon him.

TURN TO DEMOCRATS.

Rowell, Stimson and Devlin, it is averred, have got wind of the powerful political figure they have made out of Herrin, and, understanding that to further pursue their policy can result only in more disaster, they have adopted the expedient of combining with the Democrats. Originally their purpose was to get control of their party and deliver its delegation to Taft, which would, of course, have finally brought them the Federal offices. As proof of this, the notorious fact is cited that former Governor Parsons went to Washington for the express purpose of procuring for the

league the support of President Roosevelt. It is also well known that Rudolph Spreckels and Francis J. Heney followed him on the same mission.

But this attempt to capture the organization was frustrated by Senator Flint and George Knight, and the Leaguers were compelled to resort to a primary battle and get what delegates they could. The failure of their calculations in the state convention and state committee is probably the cause of their new plan to combine with the Democrats. They are now clamoring for an "Independent," "capable" Legislature which will send Theodore A. Bell to the Federal Senate.

LEAGUE'S PRESS AGENT.

As I have already said, the evidence that this is the ultimate design of the Leaguers is overwhelming. Among other things which Mr. Rowell has found necessary and useful in lambasting Herrin and the Southern Pacific political bureau is a press agent in this city. This agent—Madsen—was formerly employed by the Call (Spreckels' paper). He has an office in the Spreckels building, and is paid, the politicians say, out of the League, or Spreckels' sack. It is his duty to concoct a story or two each day discrediting the regular Republican organization and libeling Herrin, the bogey man of the League.

Rowell prints all his emanations in his paper at Fresno under his black headlines. E. T. Earl, the ex-railroad rebater, does the same in his paper at Los Angeles. So do the other League papers. Among the journals supplied by Rowell's press agent is the Santa Barbara Independent, a stalwart Democratic sheet. The Independent publishes only that portion of the agent's stuff which is calculated to damage the Republican party. A file of this journal has been procured, and can now be seen at the rooms of the state committee. In order to ascertain to what extent Rowell and his press agent are doing what the politicians call "Democratic politics," it is only necessary to consult this file. In the judgment of A. S. Patterson, the Democratic editor of the Independent, this damage is considerable, since he reproduced all the articles in which the agent vilifies the "regular" Republican leaders.

HELP FROM BELL.

But this is not the only evidence that Rowell, Devlin, Stimson, Lissner and Earl are "doing" Democratic politics. On June 8th Rowell's agent interviewed Mr. Bell and sent to all his papers the following utterances of that eminent statesman: "This is the cause (referring to his fight) of the Roosevelt League in the Republican party. They are cleansing their party, and that is what we hope to do in ours. I DO NOT MEAN TO SUGGEST ANY COALITION OF FORCES. On the contrary, it is best that party lines be maintained on both sides. THAT IS THE IDEA OF THE LINCOLN-ROOSEVELT LEAGUE, AND OURS AS WELL. side by side we can fight the common enemy, and yet neither need surrender a single principle. OUR AIM IS TO ELECT CAPABLE AND INDEPENDENT MEN TO THE LEGISLATURE."

In using the word "our," Mr. Bell undoubtedly intends to convey the idea that his and Rowell's aim is to elect "capable" and "Independent" men to the Legislature. The capable and independent men are, of course, Democrats. As Rowell published this interview in his own paper, its authenticity can hardly be questioned.

JOIN WITH DEMOCRATS.

On June 22d, E. T. Earl, said to be with the Spreckels, the principal financial backer of the League, published in his paper, the Los Angeles Express, a laudatory article on Bell. In it he spoke of Bell's famous reputation for office chasing as "splendid citizenship and fine leadership," and declared that it was an excellent idea for the League to celebrate his coming to the new Democratic boss to Los Angeles.

"We join," Earl wrote our Democratic fellow citizens in welcoming to Los Angeles a man who has this year rendered the State of California most helpful and splendid service." In the same article Earl spoke of the "noble declarations of purpose made in the Democratic state convention"—the same one lately bossed by Bell.

As further evidence of the combination referred to, it is now recalled that Earl supported Bell for Governor two years ago, in which good work he was aided by Meyer Lissner, one of the League's bosses at Los Angeles. Another League paper at Los Angeles, the Pacific Outlook, is openly supporting Thomas E. Gibson, a Democrat, for Congress, and calling on the Leaguers to antagonize McLachlan, who, it alleges, is a machine man. The Outlook lauds Gibson as a "Roosevelt-Democrat," and declares that he is an ardent friend of the League.

DEAL WITH WILLIAMS.

On June 29th Mr. Rowell's press agent sent a story to his papers in which he asserted that efforts had been made in Alameda county and elsewhere to induce the Lincoln-Roosevelt League to pledge all its legislative nominees to suppress race-track gambling. Apropos of the subject, he interviewed Frank R. Devlin, president of the League, and caused him to say that no such pledge would be exacted.

"I fought for the anti-race-track bill in the last Legislature," said Devlin, "but I do not believe the Lincoln-Roosevelt League should take up any more issues than that of ridding the state of railroad rule." With the election of CAPABLE AND INDEPENDENT LEGISLATORS, such matters as closing up the race-tracks will easily follow.

Here Devlin uses Bell's very words—"capable and independent legislators." Undoubtedly these legislators are to be Democrats in all districts not controlled by the League. (It may be added, parenthetically, that Mr. Devlin did not in this interview give the real reason for the League's refusal to fight the race-track. In Alameda county the League has made a deal with Tom Williams of

Emeryville to get his support in the coming primary, and hence it can not very well adopt a "reform" which will deprive it of votes.)

HENEY IN THE GAME.

If any further evidence were necessary to establish in the minds of the politicians here that the League has entered into an offensive and defensive alliance with Bell, it is found in the fact that the bosses of the former are constantly inviting Francis J. Heney, a notorious Democrat, who lately in Oregon contributed to defeat a Republican and elect a Democrat to the Federal Senate, to address their meetings. Indeed, R. L. Hathorn, who is trusted with some of the League's work here, proposed Heney to the committee which had charge of the Taft affiliation meeting as one of the speakers. In doing so, he said:

"Mr. Heney is a man of national reputation. He stands for the Roosevelt-Taft policies and is a personal friend of both Roosevelt and Taft. (He is) that all divergences of Republican political opinion are to be re-

presented in our common campaign for the national ticket and that local matters are not to be discussed at the ratification meeting. So I suggest Mr. Heney as one of the speakers."

All the Leaguers present supported this proposal and eulogized Heney, and he would have been invited to speak had he been in the majority.

FREQUENT VISITOR.

Those, then, are the reasons the politicians of both parties here have for believing that Bell and Rowell intend to elect a Legislature of "capable and Independent" Democrats. One thing at least is certain, Bell visits the Rowell press bureau oftener than Rowell himself, and he never leaves it without getting an "interview" in all the League newspapers. Another thing is certain, but curious. Rudolph Spreckels and E. T. Earl pay the expenses of the bureau, but they never visit it and are never interviewed. It is said there is a good reason for this. They are both millionaires, and hence under suspicion.

ADAM AND EVE WEDDING LEGAL

Court Decides Present-Day Common Law Marriage Has Formed Precedent.

KANSAS CITY, July 11.—The Kansas City Court of Appeals decided that the first marriage in the world's history was a common law contract—a mutual agreement between the principals. The court holds, that present day common law marriages are likewise binding. The suit in question was for \$400, brought by Ella Phillips Davis against R. W. Souffier, administrator of her husband's estate. She asserted that she was his common law wife. The court, finding for her, said:

"The marriage of Adam and Eve was not only without witnesses, but so far as the records show, they married themselves. He repeated the contract and she acquiesced by silence."

15 UNITS TO ENTER STATE UNIVERSITY

BERKELEY, July 11.—Applicants for admission to the University of California will in future be expected to offer the full 15 units of preparatory work for entrance to all the courses in the college of letters, social science, natural science, commerce, and in the general course of agriculture; 14½ units will still suffice for the engineering courses and the college of chemistry.

An applicant may enter on condition he can offer total preparatory credit of 15 units, and make up his deficiency during his freshman or sophomore year. Any applicant whose credentials are short may take registration examination to make up desired credits. The examination begins August 6th.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR THE MONEY INVESTED.

3 KILLED BY HEAT; 1 CRAZED

AURORA, Ill., July 11.—Three deaths, a crazed woman and three mad dogs followed today in the wake of the hottest day of the year. The thermometer stood at 97 degrees at 4 o'clock this afternoon, according to the weather forecaster, while the mercury tube on the city hall front showed 100.

INFORMAL RECEPTION AT HEARST HALL

BERKELEY, July 11.—This afternoon an informal reception was held by the summer students of the University of California from 5 to 6 p.m. at Hearst Hall. Light refreshments were prepared by the domestic science classes, and a program rendered. These affairs are arranged to bring together the teachers from all parts of the State, who are attending the summer session.

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**A New Chapter Opens Tomorrow in
Our JULY CLEARANCE Sale**
Whatever remains in the store of the special lines we have told you about since July 1st, will still be found at their reduced prices. Today we present an entirely new program with which to open the week. These are, however, but a few of the special sales to be found all over the house.

Entire Line of Ladies' Wash Suits One-Third Off
In this special sale have been put out entire lines of Shirt Waist Suits, fancy Lawn Dresses, Tailored Linen Dresses, fancy Linen Dresses and Jumper Suits.
The summer season is so backward that there is a splendid selection of these suits and they are just as serviceable now as if bought a couple of months ago.
Shirt Waist Suits that were \$7.50 to \$11.50—ARE NOW \$5.10 to \$7.45.
Tailored Linen Suits that were \$7.50 to \$9.50—ARE NOW \$5.10 to \$6.50.
Fancy Lawn Dresses that were \$15 to \$20—ARE NOW \$10 to \$13.50.
Fancy Linen Jumpers that were \$7.95 to \$10—ARE NOW \$5.10 to \$13.50.

High-Grade Lingerie Waists, Special \$3.50
Regular \$4.95 to \$5.50 values.
A feature of these beautiful waists is the elaborate trimming in the latest patterns of embroidery and lace; at least a dozen good styles to choose from; some with entire fronts of embroidery, others with yokes of lace inserting and fine tuckings, others with wide rows of inserting back and front, etc.;
SPECIAL \$3.50



FINE WASH GOODS Special 15c Yard
A big assemblage of broken lines Wash Goods, including plain and figured voiles, wash foulards, applique swisses and figured poplins; sold regularly at 25c, 30c and 40c—SPECIAL, at yard **15c**

Special Sale Monday of Dress Trimming Remnants
Here will be found hundreds of remnants of embroideries, laces, dress trimmings, trimming bands, medallions, motifs, etc.
All At Half Price



Beautiful Corset Covers Special 48c
Made of fine quality of muslin, entire yoke of torchon lace, back and front with three rows of heading and ribbon; regular price 65c.



Sample Line of Hosiery
A Big, Varied Assortment of 50c and 75c Values at **25c pair**
This special sale opens at 9 a. m. Monday. The display consists of plain and fancy hosiery in several shades of tan, black and all fashionable colors. There are all sizes in the lot and the early shoppers will find a satisfying selection of patterns and colors.

Boys' Wash Suits Special 75c
Regular \$1.00 and \$1.25 values.
A mixed lot of "Buster Brown" and sailor styles in stripes, linen effects and solid colors; specially good for vacation wear.

Large Sample Line of High-Grade Infants' Wear
Marked 1/3 or More Below Regular Prices
This splendid lot of samples comes from the best-known maker of fine infants' wear in the country. Each garment is exquisitely finished, perfectly clean and fresh, ready for immediate use. Here's the chance to buy high-grade infants' wear at the price of very medium grades.
Short Skirts—SPECIAL AT.....
..... 10c, 50c, 65c and to \$6.50
Long Skirts—SPECIAL AT.....
..... 40c, 50c, 65c and to \$8.25
Short Skirts—SPECIAL AT.....
..... 35c, 50c, 75c and to \$2.50
Long Skirts—SPECIAL AT.....
..... 10c, 50c, 65c and to \$5.05
A Charming Variety of Pretty French Dresses Specially Priced—75c, \$1.00, \$1.25 and to \$4.00

Specials in the Notion Section
Rubber lined sponge bags indispensable for carrying sponges, wash clothes, etc., while traveling; many sizes; all colors in silk and cretonne; guaranteed water-proof.
Regular 25c—SPECIAL 15c
Regular 35c—SPECIAL 25c
Clothes and Hat Brushes; regular 50c; Special 35c
Plate-glass, round mirrors; regular 65c and 75c—Special 58c
Regular 50c—SPECIAL 35c
Regular 85c—SPECIAL 65c
Hair Brushes; regular 75c; Special 48c
Regular 65c and 75c—Special 58c

Extraordinary Values in Beautiful Embroideries
One big lot of narrow and wide edgings and insertions; all this season's patterns and all marked so as to save you one-half to one-third of the regular prices.
Special 12 1/2c, 20c, 30c and 40c Yard



Perfect Corset
So much depends upon the corset that it demands especial care, both in the selection of the proper style and in the exactitude of its fitting. In our complete showing of Corsets will be found the summer models of the "Kabo," "Helen," "Gloves," "Fitting," "Helen," "La Marquise," "Royal Worcester," "La Premier," "La Victoria," "Bon Ton" and all the popular makes.
\$1, \$1.50 and to \$9.50

BATHING SUITS
Ladies' Bathing Suits, all sizes—\$2.50, \$3.50 and to \$7.50.
Ladies' Silk Bathing Suits—\$20 and \$25.
Children's Bathing Suits—\$2.00.
Rubber Bathing Caps—20c, 35c and to \$1.25.
Bathing Slippers—35c, 50c.

Silk Crepe de Chine
All pure silk, good medium weight, suitable for scarfs, fancy waists or costumes; in white, light blue, pink, Nile, lavender, navy, brown, cardinal, gray and black; regular 75c and 85c values—SPECIAL **59c**

A Fancy Silk Special
A lot of novelty silks in a good variety of patterns and colors, checks, plaids and other fancy patterns; these are high-grade silks; regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values—SPECIAL, yard **75c**

Colored Petticoats Special, 75c
Regular \$1.25 to \$2.00 values.
This lot includes two styles, one a satteen, the other a cotton moreen petticoat; all are finished with deep flounces and ruffles; colors are greens and tans.

Dress Goods
A big assortment of plain dress goods, including voiles, Panamas, wool taffetas, coarse and fine weave Mohairs; the color assortments include both light and dark; regular values \$1.00—SPECIAL, yard **58c**

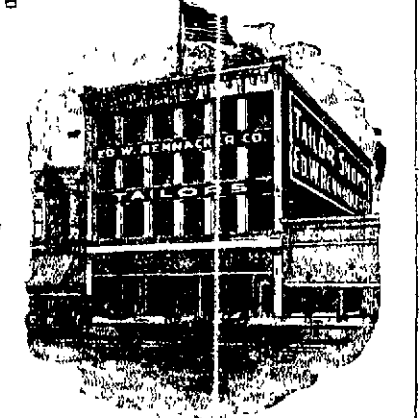
"Hydegrade" Galatea
A complete line of the very best quality of Galatea in all colors; big variety of figures and stripes—SPECIAL, yard at **15c**

Wool Blankets Special \$2.95 pair
Good weight, full size for double beds; regular \$3.50 values.

"Best-Hold" Barrettes
These shell hair barrettes are made so that the pin locks into a groove, holding firmly in place without any possibility of breaking the hair. It will interest you. Prices **15c to \$1**

Table Damask—Special 80c yd.
All linen, good range of patterns, 72 inches wide; regular \$1.00 value.
DINNER NAPKINS.
Full size to match the above; regular \$2.75 values; SPECIAL, dozen **\$1.95**

Wide India Linon Special 15c yard
Fine sheer quality, 32 inches wide; regular 20c value.



DON'T WAIT

To order your new fall suit until the tailors are busy and rushed with work it costs you more money and you receive less satisfaction.
A CUSTOMER is appreciated NOW during the dull season.
We have the largest stock of NEW FALL GOODS IN OAKLAND, and in order to keep out fire of tailors busy during July, will make any \$50 suit for \$25.
We give you our profit this month, but expect every suit to bring new customers.
Order now, even if you don't want the suit for a month. We want to keep our men working all time THIS MONTH.
You can help us and we will more than repay you.
Call and see the new stock of woolsens, anyway.

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Manufacturers of Iron Beds, Wire Beds, Top Mattresses, Pillows and Upholstery.
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LOCAL PASTORS OBJECT TO THE 'CANNED' SERMON

Phonograph Preachments Not Favored

And now we have the canned sermon. Don't you know what a canned sermon is? It is the kind which is produced on a phonograph and preached on Sunday while the real minister is enjoying himself in the country. These canned sermons will be preached in some of the Chicago churches this summer.

Many of the prominent clergymen in that city favor the new institution. Among them are Rev. Lloyd Jones, pastor of All Souls' Church, Chicago. This is what he says on the subject:

THE CANNED SERMON.
"The canned sermon is certainly an up-to-date, twentieth-century idea, and I'm inclined to think it is an excellent one. A few days ago I heard a collection of ministers discussing it and they all were heartily in favor of the new use to which the phonograph can be put."

"You have authority from me to announce that I will gladly furnish cylinders and records or canned sermons as they are called—to any minister in Chicago who wishes to reproduce them in his church. The offer is open to all denominations, and I will furnish the cylinders free of cost."

"A pastor who wishes to take a vacation during the extreme heat of July and August or to visit his congregation with these cylinders will find that they will be far better than any other method."

MANY ORDERS GIVEN.
Many orders have been received from preachers about to leave on their annual vacations and to visit their congregations with these cylinders in several of the large churches this summer.

The minister of a big church on the south side of Chicago was to leave shortly on a visit to the sea shore. His only drawback being the fact that an old member of his congregation was at the point of death. His family of the sick man was very anxious that this minister should preach the funeral service. The clergyman himself was desirous of performing this last duty, but as the sick man had died in the night, he was unable to do so.

to come, he saw his pleasant sea trip fade into a memory.

CANNED FUNERAL DISCOURSE.
Then he heard of the canned sermon. No time was lost in putting the idea into use. He hired himself to a phonograph store and spoke a most pathetic and impressive eulogy into the machine, after which he went his way with a clear conscience, feeling that he had done his duty.

Shortness is the quality which recommends these sermons most to the weary overworked minister. In fact they are so short that they can be used in a few minutes.

LOCAL PASTORS DISAPPROVE.
With the Chicago ministers it seems to have made quite a decided hit, but our local pastors have not been so favorably impressed. In fact they are most decidedly opposed to the movement.

"This is what some of them say on the subject," says George W. White of the First Methodist Church.

"I am most decidedly against what has been termed the canned sermon. I think the only way to reach the hearts of the people is by a personal appeal."

NOT CONVINCING.
"I do not understand how a machine could be of any use in preaching. It will never come into general use."

"No one would prepare and come to a church on a Sunday morning, to hear a phonograph preach when they could easily bring the sermon to their homes by cutting a record for fifty cents or more."

ALL NONSENSE.
Dr. William Dry Simon is pastor of the First Lutheran Church. He said:

"I think it is all nonsense. This talk about the canned sermon is a great deal of nonsense. The sermon is not the main thing in the service. It is the living personality which makes the impression and the words from the lips of a priest of God which tell men to Christianity."

EMERGENCY CLEARANCE SALE OF FINE PIANOS and PLAYER PIANOS

THE LEASE ON OUR BIG WHOLESALE WAREHOUSE HAS EXPIRED--WE MUST VACATE AT ONCE--OUR ENTIRE WAREHOUSE STOCK IS THEREFORE OFFERED AT 1/3 TO 1/2 OFF

The week just past will go down in history as the busiest one for piano selling we have ever seen in the month of July--the extremely low prices on the best quality of pianos made practically every visitor a purchaser. Every buyer saved from \$2.00 to \$2.50 on the purchase of a piano player piano or player and those who were arranged to pay the balance in small monthly payments--others took 3 percent off for all cash.

We must vacate our large warehouse located on Bush and Franklin streets which covers a quarter block and contains over 300 pianos and player instruments. The next few days must be busy ones for us for the owners want the property as

quickly as possible--at latest by July 20th. If you have any idea of wanting a piano within the next year now is the time for you to get one at a saving large enough to locate the family in music.

People outside the city should come to Oakland at once--the bargains offered are worth coming hundreds of miles to see--you will save many times the cost of your trip. If not possible to come write us once for list of prices stating what makes you prefer.

This is a case of MUST with us and we have priced down our pianos at half price, even less--a number of \$2.00 pianos at \$1.35, a group of \$3.00 pianos at \$1.60, a lot of good \$4.00 pianos at \$2.40, pianos at \$2.50 several \$4.00 pianos at \$2.35, \$1.75 artistic well-known brand-

and high-grade \$600. Pianos making going at \$165, a number of \$1.75 pianos at \$1.00, besides seven elegant \$1.50 pianos at \$1.00. In fact, we have a lot of pianos at \$1.00. We have also a lot of pianos at \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.50, \$6.00, \$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$10.50, \$11.00, \$11.50, \$12.00, \$12.50, \$13.00, \$13.50, \$14.00, \$14.50, \$15.00, \$15.50, \$16.00, \$16.50, \$17.00, \$17.50, \$18.00, \$18.50, \$19.00, \$19.50, \$20.00, \$20.50, \$21.00, \$21.50, \$22.00, \$22.50, \$23.00, \$23.50, \$24.00, \$24.50, \$25.00, \$25.50, \$26.00, \$26.50, \$27.00, \$27.50, \$28.00, \$28.50, \$29.00, \$29.50, \$30.00, \$30.50, \$31.00, \$31.50, \$32.00, \$32.50, \$33.00, \$33.50, \$34.00, \$34.50, \$35.00, \$35.50, \$36.00, \$36.50, \$37.00, \$37.50, \$38.00, \$38.50, \$39.00, \$39.50, \$40.00, \$40.50, \$41.00, \$41.50, \$42.00, \$42.50, \$43.00, \$43.50, \$44.00, \$44.50, \$45.00, \$45.50, \$46.00, \$46.50, \$47.00, \$47.50, \$48.00, \$48.50, \$49.00, \$49.50, \$50.00, \$50.50, \$51.00, \$51.50, \$52.00, \$52.50, \$53.00, \$53.50, \$54.00, \$54.50, \$55.00, \$55.50, 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INSURANCE SQUABBLE STIRS TWO CITIES

AGENTS ELECT AND DEPOSE RIVAL SETS OF OFFICERS

Oakland and Berkeley Play Hide and Seek in Controversy

By a resolution of the Oakland Board of Underwriters last night, at a special meeting in the Merchants Exchange rooms, the officers elected Wednesday night were ousted without opposition and a new set of officials elected to take their places.

The election of Charles Harris as president of the Oakland board was declared null, because it is said he is not a bona fide member of the organization. He is in the employ of the Layman Real Estate Company. The rules state that only insurance agents can belong to the underwriters. Harris is not a member of the firm which handles insurance business. The other officers elected last Wednesday were Fred Carrique, secretary, Fred Burke, treasurer, and the executive committee consisting of Will Creed, W. Woolsey, George Haley, Thomas Hayden and Walter Wilson. These men were also deposed from their positions.

WHAT BERKELEY DID.

According to the speech made by the Oakland underwriters last night, a Berkeley delegation came to Oakland last Wednesday evening, headed by William Creed, and held an election of their own under the auspices of the Oakland Board of Underwriters. In the meantime Oakland men declared themselves and refused to ratify the election so called a special meeting for last night.

NO DEMURRER.

Several of the Berkeleyans effected Wednesday were present, but offered no suggestions and made no demurrer in unseating them. The meeting last night was called by Joseph Hyman, Metro, McFarland, and George W. Austin, three members of the Oakland board.

The resolution for the second election and cancelling the former election was prepared by Joseph Hyman, F. J. Taylor and Hubert Bryant.

NEW OFFICERS.

There were no protests when nominations for officers were declared in order. The following were elected: President I. H. Gray, vice president, H. L. Holcomb; secretary, Leo R. Wall; treasurer, Fred L. Burke; executive committee—A. J. Snyder, Thomas Hayden, Walter Wilson, Hubert Bryant and F. H. McFarland. This is the third time Gray has been elected to the head of the board. Fred Le Buller, recently elected secretary of the State Board of Underwriters, declined to accept the secretarialship of the local body.

FACTIONAL WAR.

Members of the Oakland board do not anticipate a wholly peaceful settlement of the factional war being waged between the Oakland and Berkeley underwriters. According to statements made last night any three members can demand a special meeting under the constitution of the organization and ask for another election. The Oakland members of the board are fully awakened to the situation, and last night it was intimated that the control of the Oakland Board of Underwriters would not be permitted to slip out of the hands it now rests in.

VALIDITY DISPUTED.

At the meeting the deposed officers one by one as their successors were elected, requested that the elections be made unanimous, and their claim that the elections were illegal was held for later disclosure. This came Friday when a letter was circulated, signed by President I. H. Gray, calling a meeting for last night and claiming the election to be illegal. He also demanded that the new president call a meeting for this late.

HARRIS ANSWERS.

The answer of president No. 2, Charles Harris, was the calling of a meeting for July 17th instead, and the issuance of a letter, in which was the following:

"The request for a special meeting represents that the action of the board in electing officers on July 8th is null and void and not in accordance with the constitution and by-laws.

"Your executive committee having thoroughly investigated the matter is of the opinion that the election of officers and executive committee was held at the regular semi-annual meeting of the board properly called, that the election was in strict conformity with the constitution and by-laws, that each officer was elected by a majority of the ballots cast and was made unanimous on motion of the retiring officers, respectively.

BANK NOTIFIED.

In addition to this letter notice was served at once upon the Oakland Bank of Savings and the Oakland Central Bank in which the board has about \$5000 on deposit, ordering payment to be held out on checks signed by the deposed officers. The latter and their supporters held a meeting last night at which the election was declared illegal and the new officers branded as pretenders.

BERKELEY PHASE.

BERKELEY July 11.—At the local insurance agents to form a Berkeley board of five underwriters has resulted in an open feud between the Berkeley men and the Oakland contingent. For some months the Berkeley insurance writers have attempted to gain the consent of the Oakland board to affiliate with the local interests and form one large board on this side of the bay. The Oakland board refused to recognize the Berkeley agents because the Berkeley men requested equal rights with the Oakland people in writing insurance in what is known as the "30 per cent district."

ALLEGED ADVANTAGE.

At present the Oakland and San Francisco agents are said to have an advantage in that they are privileged to write in Berkeley territory without having the insurance pass through the office of the local agents. The same privilege was demanded by the Berkeley writers.

Their petition to affiliate with the Oakland board being turned down by that body, the Berkeley men decided to attempt to form a local board if it were feasible. To this end a meeting of the Berkeley men was held and the following committee was appointed to confer with the managers of the local insurance companies: Harry Holcomb, Fred Burke, Leo R. Wall, Walter Wilson, Hubert Bryant and F. H. McFarland. The committee is said to have obtained the consent of the New York Life Underwriters, Aetna, Royal, Liverpool and London and Globe, and the New Zealand to withdraw their sanction of the ruling of the Oakland board which would result in the practical disintegration of that organization.

BERKELEY IN CONTROL.

The next move of the Berkeley agents was to capture the control of the board of underwriters on this side of the bay. This was accomplished by effecting last Wednesday evening an election with the power they had secured in San Francisco they installed their own slate in the annual election of officers.

The officers then elected were President, Harry Holcomb; treasurer, Fred Burke; secretary, Fred Carrique, with the executive committee composed for the most part of Berkeley men: Creed, Hayden, Woolsey, Wilson and Haley.

The former officers were: President, J. H. Gray; vice-president, F. J. Porter; secretary, L. J. Ballister; treasurer, John Maarten; executive committee, A. J. Snyder, T. P. Lough, Leo Wall and J. H. Gray.

MEETING CALLED.

Ex-President Gray has called a meeting of the board to be held tonight in the Merchants Exchange building in Oakland. The election is illegal and contrary to the constitution and by-laws of the organization. The successful contingent say they are not worried over the result of this meeting. The newly elected president has issued notices notifying the members that the meeting tonight is irregular.

The Oakland Bank of Savings and the Central Bank which hold \$5000 belonging to the board have officially recognized the newly elected officers and executive committee and have turned over the accounts to the treasurer, F. Burke.



AUGUSTUS SELB

IMPOSTER AIDS REAL APPLICANT

Publication of Man's Attempt to Get Another's Job Leads to the Original.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The publication of the fact that a certain Patrick McMahon of this city had endeavored to obtain a position in the U. S. Department by impersonating another man of the same name led to the discovery of the original McMahon, who is now in Berkeley, N. J.

MAYBE HE'LL WALK

"From his request for sixty days' time in which to report for duty, remarked Secretary McCarthy, 'it would appear he intended to walk to San Francisco. However, he may be in some position which he cannot give up at a moment's notice. He is expected to be returned to the Civil Service Commission, whose province it is to arrange for extensions of this character.'

The spurious Patrick McMahon received a letter intended for his name, saying the name had been reached on the eligible list for appointment as a member of the U. S. Department. He applied for the position, but made a slip in stating the Secretary McCarthy that he had been in the examination in a building which had no connection with the department. He was held out for cross-examination, he acknowledged he was an imposter and was allowed to go with a warning.

TO FURTHER THE CAUSE OF TAFT AND SHERMAN

Club Formed at Stockton Will Have Membership of Over One Thousand

STOCKTON, July 11.—A Taft and Sherman Club was organized last night with a membership of 230. The purpose of the club is to secure members. It is the intention of the officers to have at least 1000 members inside of thirty days. The policy of the club will be strictly national, and it will not mix in any local or local affairs. The officers are Charles Light, president, W. H. Biggs, vice-president, J. D. Finney, secretary, A. E. Gordon, treasurer, E. C. Williams, G. F. Felt, and E. M. Tied.

PETALUMA COUPLES ARRANGE WEDDINGS

PETALUMA July 11.—A double wedding will take place at the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Molten, near Petaluma, in October, when their eldest daughter, Miss Mary, will be given in marriage to Fred Kyle of Petaluma. On the same day their son Thomas will marry Miss Bessie Smith of Petaluma. Messrs. Kyle and Molten are prominent business men of Petaluma.

PRESIDIO BAND DELIGHTS CROWD

Hearst Greek Theater Filled at Third of Series of Concerts.

BERKELEY, July 11.—Weather that threatened an unpleasant evening did not keep the people away from the Hearst Greek Theater at the University this evening for there was a crowd that packed every tier of seats and row of chairs in the beautiful open air auditorium. While the first two concerts of the series had been big successes, there was a doubt about a large attendance as the wind that blew was chilling. But the crowd was the record of the series.

DEATH OF WIFE

Bandmaster Almond Putz was untended this evening owing to the sudden death of his wife. Chief Trumpeter Gunder, the ranking sergeant of the band, acted as his substitute and conducted the band in admirable fashion through the difficult program.

NO USE FOR BRYAN OR DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

Congressman Leake of New Jersey Declares That He Will Vote for Taft.

NEW YORK July 11.—Eugene W. Leake, Democratic member of Congress for the Ninth district of New Jersey, has written to William E. Taft announcing that he will vote for Taft, and offering his services to the Republican nomination during the campaign. Leake's letter follows:

"DEAR MR. TAFT:—Hon. William E. Taft, Hot Springs, Va.—My Dear Mr. Taft: I cannot subscribe either to the candidate or the platform of the Democratic convention. The conservative citizens of this country who are neither reactionaries nor the representatives of predatory, wealth or special interests but who desire a rigid enforcement of the law with equal justice must look to you for protection against the wave of radicalism and class prejudice which will follow the Denver convention. You will have my vote on election day and if during the campaign my services will be of any value to your national committee I will cheerfully tender them. Very respectfully yours,

"EUGENE W. LEAKE"

SHE MASQUERADES AS MAN IN FIGHT FOR LIFE

Played Manly Part, Too, Did Gus, After Her Husband Left Her.

NEW YORK, July 11.—There was nothing about Miss Augusta Selb when she was assigned in the Night Club to indicate that she was anything else than the staid little German man she appeared to be.

MANNISH APPEARANCE

Her face, except that it bore no sign of beard was as utterly mannish as her costume. Broad below the eyes, the mouth straight across, the jaw square and unfeminine. Made more manly still by skin of a dark olive, coloring it was further than that, as if it was the face of a clock.

A STRANGE HISTORY.

The man was full of a motley aggression and the mill of justice must needs go fast.

VENTURE DIDN'T PAY.

Mrs. Clark had yesterday how her venture had been no success at all. Gus (Mrs. Selb), in apron and jacket used to preside behind the counter and Mrs. Clark sat at the cash register.

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GOVERNMENT TO TEST BALDWIN'S DIRIGIBLE

Balloon Must Have Speed of Least Eighteen Miles an Hour

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Capital Thomas Baldwin of New York today notified General Allen, chief of the signal corps, that his dirigible balloon has been completed and would be shipped to Washington early next week. It will be sent to Fort Myer, where it will be assembled. The trial tests it is thought will take place the latter part of next week before the army board, consisting of officers of the signal corps now stationed in and about Washington.

STRANGER SENDS UP BIDS ON JUMP

Unexpected Offers at City Auction Raises Prices, to Surprise of Regulars

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The jump in the price of bidding at the city auction and other discarded or condemned goods of material which the city first time to the day was of an auction of a man requested by the last auction.

TO VERIFY NAMES ON BIG PETITION

Election Commission Called on to Consider Request for Special Election.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Clerk Behan of the Board of Supervisors sent a request today to the Election Commissioners and Registrar that they attend the meeting of the finance committee next Friday in order to confer toward verifying the 19,000 signatures appended to the petition presented by Daniel O'Connell and others requesting the calling of a special election to authorize the taking over by the city of the street railway and telephone systems.

Under the charter the clerk of the Board of Supervisors is required to verify the signatures to such petitions, that it may be ascertained if the number of legitimate voters represented among the signers equals the required 15 per cent of the total number of electors shown at the last election.

This duty the clerk usually turns over to the Registrar, but in this case the numbers of signers was so large that the Registrar declined to assume the task.

WILL BUILD LINE FROM ELY TO POCHE

Result of Conference Between Gould and the Guggenheim Interests.

NEW YORK, July 11.—It is said at the result of a recent conference between the representatives of the Gould and Guggenheim interests, the West, which was held here last night, the Goulds have agreed to build a line from Ely to Poche about ninety miles, and upon other lines.

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GIRL DID NOT KNOW OF FAMILY

Discovers Existence of Father and Three Brothers of Whom She Had Never Heard

CHICAGO July 11.—Ignorant of her family's existence, Miss Ruth Ashlock, 19 years old, a recent graduate of the Evanston High School, is happy in the possession of three brothers and a sister.

Likewise the young woman has come into property of which she never had dreamed.

Miss Libby, as she was called, has been living with her adopted mother, Mrs. Lida Libby, 1823 Orrington avenue, Evanston. Her own mother died when she was born at Jacksonville, Ill., and for some reason Mrs. Libby never told the girl of her father, Dr. James T. Ashlock, who in the meantime had moved to St. Louis with the three boys—Parks, Oliver and David.

Last April the girl's grandfather died at Jacksonville, Ill., leaving considerable property to his son and his granddaughter. A search was instituted for the girl and when she was at last located in Evanston Park, the oldest boy, was so eager to hear that he had a sister that he hurried to Evanston, arriving yesterday, and will carry his sister now.

Miss Ruth Ashlock, back to her father and brothers in the home.

U. C. GRADUATE IS MINE MANAGER

W. W. Mein Placed in General Charge of Group of South African Mines.

BERKELEY, July 11.—W. W. Mein, University of California mining college, 1900 has just been promoted from the management of the Robinson mine in South Africa to the position of consulting mining engineer and general manager of Eckstein's Central Administration group of mines in Johannesburg.

This group includes the French Rand, the Crown Reef, the Robinson Consolidated Deep, the Robinson Consolidated, the Village Main Reef, the Village Deep and the New Main Reef. The total number of stamps operated by these mines is 1246 and they crush over 225,000 tons a month. For the month of April, 1908, the mines yielded a profit of over a million dollars.

Mr. Mein has also been elected president of the Mine Managers Association, which is considered a very high honor.

Mein is the son of Thomas Mein living at Lake and Jackson streets, Oakland. He was induced to go to South Africa by Charles Butters and is now regarded as one of the leading mining experts of the world. The position he now holds gives him control of one of the largest old producing properties in the world. The mines are owned by the Rothschilds and the Dresden Bank of Germany and was a source of dispute in the complications preceding the Boer war.

FAINTS IN COURT TELLING STORY

Wife of San Francisco Steamship
Man Says She Is in Dire
Distress.

LOS ANGELES, July 11.—Blind, sick and weak from lack of nourishment, Mrs. Judine Barbee, the divorced wife of the tax agent for the Northern Pacific Steamship Company in San Francisco, appeared before Judge James yesterday and pleaded piteously for help. She fainted before she could tell her whole story and was carried out of the court by a bailiff.

Last November when Mrs. Barbee was granted a divorce by the late Judge B. N. Smith, he ordered the husband to pay the afflicted woman \$100 a month alimony. "He has not paid me a cent," she sobbed today on the witness stand, when her guffing strength admitted of words. "I have been living on North Grand avenue in penury and have nearly started to death while Mr. Barbee is drawing a good salary. I come to the court with my troubles only as a lot to eat."

With this Mrs. Barbee the light of whose life went out years ago when her partial troubles commenced, collapsed. Judge James ordered a court clerk to see that Barbee's salary is paid her for \$9 each month and the money paid to his former wife.

NOMINATED FOR THE STATE SENATE

RIVERSIDE, Cal., July 11.—Assn. Mayor Miguel Escudillo was nominated for the State Senate by the thirty-ninth District Republican Convention on the eleventh ballot to day. The district is composed of Orange and Riverside counties.

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MISS HAZEL WADE TO BE BRIDE ON TUESDAY



MISS HAZEL KIRK WADE, WHO WILL MARRY
RUSSELL R. PARSONS TUESDAY.

To Go on Honeymoon Trip in North

Miss Hazel Wade and Russell Parsons will be married on Tuesday at the home of the bride's parents on Hobart street. The ceremony will be solemnized at half past 1 o'clock the Rev. Mr. Voshburgh officiating.

The bride will wear a gown of champagne colored voile made over tulle for traveling gown is of pearl gray broadcloth. The bride's attendant will be Miss Winnie Parsons, sister of Mr. Parsons. She will wear a pink silk gown made in simple style. A luncheon will be served after the ceremony.

The young couple will go north for their wedding trip and upon their return will reside in Oakland.

UNHAPPY WOMAN TRIES TO END LIFE

Takes Dose of Morphine, but Is
Hurried to Hospital and Is
Now Recovering.

(Special to The Tribune)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Mr. and Mrs. J. Manning did not live happily together. This morning after the husband who is a carpenter had gone to work Mrs. Manning went upstairs to her landlady, Mrs. William Herbert and informed the latter that she had taken a dose of morphine. She had taken it she said because she wanted to die and she told Mrs. Herbert because she did not want her husband to be suspected of poisoning her.

She was taken to the Central Emergency Hospital and given relief.

**REPORT PROGRESS ON
SCOTT BIRTHDAY PLANS**
SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The committee in charge of the arrangements for the grand celebration to be given by the United Scottish Societies in honor of the anniversary of the birth of Sir Walter Scott at the Central Theater Friday evening August 14, 1903, expects a great success.

At the last meeting of the general committee the printing committee reported that they would have the tickets ready for distribution on the 14th inst. The committee on talent reported that they had already secured the services of Mr. McKenzie Gorton, tenor Mrs. M. J. Blanchard contralto, and Mr. Fred Maurer Jr. accompanist.

The prices of admission will be \$1.75 cent and 50 cents.

Mr. J. C. McFie, president of St. Andrews Society, was selected to act as chairman of the evening.

Clears the Complexion Overnight

Pimples, Rash, Eruptions, Etc., Quickly Eradicated by New Skin Remedy
Since its discovery one year ago, the new skin remedy has in its extraordinary accomplishments, exceeded the most sanguine expectations of eminent specialists who gave it to the world. It has cured thousands of cases of eczema and eradicated facial and other disfigurements of years' standing. The terrible itching attending eczema is stopped with the first application giving proof of its curative properties at the very outset.

In less serious skin affections such as pimples, rash, herpes, blackheads, acne, barbers' itch, etc., results show after an overnight application only a small quantity being required to effect a cure. Muddy or sallow complexion is noticeably improved by a single application. Those who use Goslan for these minor skin troubles can now avail themselves of the special 50-cent package recently adopted to meet such needs. Both the 50-cent package and the regular \$2 jar may now be obtained in Oakland at the Owl Drug Co. and other leading drug stores.

Samples for experimental purposes may be had free of charge by writing direct to the Emergency Laboratories, 52 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City.

HOPELESSLY BLIND HE ENDS HIS LIFE

Man Amassed Fortune, but
Could Not Endure to Live
Without Eyesight

NEW YORK, July 11.—Believing that specialists could not restore his lost eyesight, William L. Schultze of 37 Marlborough road, Flatbush, a painter and decorator, ended his life by a pistol shot while his wife and three children were at breakfast.

Schultze had amassed a fortune. He purchased a cottage in the Prospect Park South section of Brooklyn, where he and his wife entertained lavishly. Two years ago he was made blind by chemicals used in paint. He visited specialists in Manhattan and Boston, and finally with his wife went to Europe. He paid large sums for treatment but was told that his case was hopeless. Then he became despondent.

Mrs. Schultze took his revolver from his bureau drawer about three months ago and hid it in her own room. She never suspected that he had been hunting for it during all that time until yesterday when the children remembered having seen their father searching the bureau.

When the members of his family heard the shot they rushed to his bedroom. Schultze was found lying on the bed, blood gushing from a wound in his head.

CITY LIBRARIAN FILES ANNUAL REPORT

The annual report of City Librarian Charles S. Greene for the fiscal year ending in June shows that the circulation of the free public library increased 24.9 per cent over the total of the year previous. There were borrowed from the library last year 289,134 volumes, as against 239,445 for the twelve months preceding. In June five were collected to the amount of \$140.70 and seventy-three new books were installed. The number discarded was 217.



Special Summer offerings in Crex Rugs, Carpets and Furniture

For Week Commencing Tomorrow,
Monday, July 13th

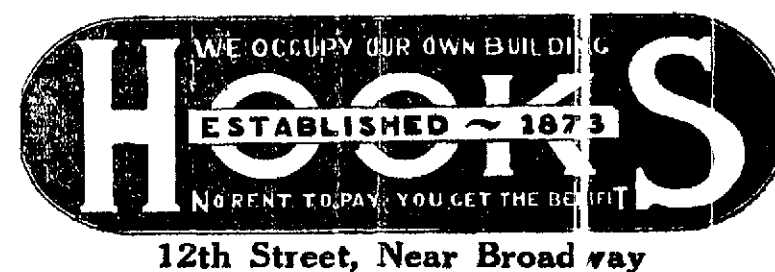
Note the specially low prices on CREX RUGS [figured and plain]. These are excellent values and just the thing for your porch or summer home.

9x12 Crex Rugs, Figured \$9.00 Plain \$8.50
8x10 Crex Rugs, Figured \$8.00 Plain \$7.50
6x 9 Crex Rugs, Figured \$6.00 Plain \$5.00
3x 6 Crex Rugs, Figured \$1.65 Plain \$1.50

On Crex Furniture We Offer

Crex Sewing Rocker \$ 5.50
Crex Arm Rocker \$14.50
Crex Arm Chair \$13.50

We invite your attention and inspection of the handsome dining table on display in one of our large windows, which will be raffled at Idora Park, for the benefit of the Widow and Orphans' Aid Association of the Oakland Police Department, on the occasion of their big outing at Idora Park in the near future.



CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR MONEY INVESTED

GREAT BANKRUPT SALE

Of Crockery, Glassware, Lamps, Tin Wooden Ware, and Household Goods of All Kinds. Toys, Notions, Etc.

Everything Must Be Sold—Doors Open at 10 a. m. Saturday.

Reg 5c water glasses 2c	Reg 10c glass pickle dishes 7c
Reg 20c decorated China sugar bowls 9c	Reg 5c per doz. Mason jar rubber 2 doz 5c
Reg 10c toy coats 2c	Reg 15c and 20c dec. China cups and saucers 8c
Reg 15c hand mirrors 6c	Reg 15c dec. China fruit dishes 7c
Reg 10c Dover egg beaters 5c	Reg 10c men's hose 5c
Reg 27c agate wash basin 15c	Reg 15c gold band tumblers 6c
Reg 20c agate wash basin 9c	Reg 10c glass candle sticks 3c
Reg 15c enamel pint cups 5c	Reg 10c tube cake pans 6c
Reg 5c pig carpet tacks 4 pkgs 5c	Reg 5c nutmeg graters 2c
Reg 15c glass berry bowls 6c	Reg 27c set of 6 tea spoons 10c
Reg 60c 5 in. jardiner 34c	Reg 15c dec. China plates 6c
Reg 15c enamel soup dishes 6c	Reg 10c tin soap 4c
Reg \$1.75 stove ovens 90c	Reg 5c pieces of shelf paper 1c
Reg 50c doz. decorated individual butters 25c	Reg 15c oil bottles 6c
Reg 5c glass berry dishes, 3 for 5c	Reg 15c extension curtain rods 6c

DON'T DELAY. COME EARLY AND GET FIRST PICK
1311 Broadway and 14 Telegraph
Avenue, Opposite Post Office



Cosgrave's offer you during their July Clean-Up Sale the choice of High Grade Tailored Suits at very Moderate Prices, these suit styles can be worn the coming season.

Waists at HALF, also new, stylish lace, net, silk and lingerie Waists at about HALF.

We open Charge accounts.

Cosgrave's
CLOAKS & SUITS
12TH & FRANKLIN CORNER

Voile Suits \$6.50

Past Season's Models

Voile Suits (as shown above, No. 1) with Silk Drop Skirts, alone worth double the price we ask—\$6.50. No alterations.

New Stripe Suits \$11.50

New stripe effects, rich trimmed cuffs and collar—very full, flaring skirts. Our sale price for the suit, \$11.50.

Alterations
Extra
During This
Sale

Friedman's
Inc.
CLOAKS AND SUITS

1058 Washington Street Bet 11th and 12th
Oakland

No
Exchanges
on
Sale Goods

Mannish Suits \$9.50

A number of "catchy" styles, black and white, checks, plaids and mixtures, with velvet collars and cuffs—\$9.50 regular \$25 values. Alterations extra. No exchange.

Fancy Panamas \$13.50

Regular \$32.50 Fancy Panama Suits, braid trimmed, this season's styles and models. These suits are less than one-half price at \$13.50.

Just as \$4
they are

We are going to sell the balance of our Mixture Eton Suits just as they are, without alterations.

33 Eton Style Suits, Mixtures and Mannish patterns: \$20 and \$25 values, the past season's models. Special, \$4. Without alterations.

HENRY MILLER TO PLAY AT MACDONOUGH THEATER

Manager Charles P. Hall Signs the Well-Known Actor for a Week's Engagement.

Manager Charles P. Hall of the Macdonough Theater today signed a contract with Henry Miller to play here for a week, beginning July 27.

Mr. Miller will open in "The Great Divide," his latest New York success. He will bring his own company and all his own scenery.

The production to be given in this city will be equal to any given in the East.

Mr. Miller is well known on the coast. This year his company is an excellent one and they give a very striking performance.

If the public desires it Mr. Miller will play "The Only Way" during the latter part of his engagement. The sale of seats will open in a few days.

At Same Time Male Companion Appropriates and Runs Away With a Grip.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The Pacific Trunk and Bag Company of 507 Front street is losing a grip, which seemed to equal to the fancy of an appropriator whose name is unknown, and, at the same time, Christian and Walker Krueger, who are connected with the institution in question, are running slashed hands, the cuts on which, while not serious, were inflicted by a woman known as Lottie Grange, whom the police have not heard of the first time.

The appropriator is still at large and the Grange woman has been arrested on the charge of petty larceny and the dual charge of assault with a deadly weapon.

PREMEDITATION.

The circumstances of the deal, the parties interested say, seem to indicate a premeditated descent upon the company in question, for the reason that the woman when she appeared at the place in question was accompanied by the appropriator, a man who, for some time past, has been considered as one of her best companions.

GRABBED GRIP.

The pair had scarcely got inside the door when the male companion of the woman took a fancy to a particular grip, and, without asking the leave of the owner, fled with it from the store.

Christian Krueger sought to prevent the fellow from leaving the place, but he was prevented from doing so by the interference of the fellow's female companion, Lottie Grange, who, at the same time, made an attempt to take the grip.

Krueger then directed his attention to the woman, intending to hold her responsible for the theft which her companion had effected and in which Krueger thought the woman had played a part.

KNIFE PULLED.

This act on the part of Krueger enraged the woman and impelled her to pull a pocket knife and with it she succeeded in cutting Krueger's hand, after which she fled from the scene.

On reaching the street the woman ran up an adjoining flight of stairs, and there was followed by Walter Krueger, who overtook her at the head of the stairs.

KNIFE WIELDED AGAIN.

There the woman showed fight again. The knife was produced a second time, and the younger Krueger was also slashed and blood commenced to flow.

By this time the elder Krueger joined the other and both finally succeeded in not only in disarming the woman, but also in holding her until Officer Tracy arrived on the scene and then the Grange woman was taken to the city prison.

The police have not as yet ascertained what became of the grip or discovered the identity of the man who ran away with it but there is no doubt that before long they will be able to make discoveries in both matters.

PRISONER IN CHAIN GANG MAKES ESCAPE.

James Baeglup, serving a six months term in the Oakland city prison for the theft of a quantity of champagne from the basement of the Crelitz hotel, escaped from the chain gang yesterday afternoon while working at the corporation yards in charge of Police Officer Baeglup.

James Baeglup was not missed for half an hour during which time he went into the stables of Goldberg, Bowen & Co., washed his face and hands and when last heard of had bought a ticket for Fruitvale.

CHAIRMAN HITCHCOCK IS IN WASHINGTON.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Chairman Frank H. Hitchcock of the Republican national committee arrived here today from Hot Springs, where he has been in conference with Judge Taft. Thus far he has made no definite plans for his sojourn in Washington, which will be comparatively brief.

He will close the Taft headquarters here in a few days and probably open permanent headquarters of the national committee in New York city. Arrangements are now being made for the headquarters in New York.

DOORS CLOSED.

The doors of the Bankrupt Sale, corner of Twelfth and Clay streets have been closed the past week by order of the Receiver, J. G. Lohr. The stock is being involved preparatory to opening a mammoth Receiver's Sale early this week, when this large stock of clothes, suits, etc., from the best houses in America will be sold at ridiculously low prices. The date of the opening of this mammoth sale will be announced in THE TRIBUNE. It will pay you to watch for it.



HENRY MILLER, who will play a week's engagement at the Macdonough Theater.

ATTACHES PROPERTY OF HER MANAGER

Mrs. Susan Mills Brings a Suit to Satisfy a Claim of \$5650.

LOS ANGELES, July 11.—Mrs. Sarah L. Mills of Mills Seminary, Fruitvale, through P. C. Wintrobe, her personal representative in Southern California, has attached the property of E. L. Smoot of Pomona, in charge of some of her holdings here, to satisfy a claim of \$5650. Two deputy sheriffs served the papers and some excitement attended the process.

Smoot indignantly asserting that he will make those responsible for the proceedings pay dearly.

He is leasee of one of the Mills ranches, the Valle Vista, and the owner is seeking to collect rent in the amount of \$1600. Sixteen horses and mules, farm wagons, a large potato crop and an automobile were attached. Smoot has no real estate and his chattels are already heavily mortgaged. He asserted that the rent bill of Mrs. Mills is offset, doubly by salary due him as manager of one of the other ranches. There are intricate questions of other financial difficulties between lessor and lessee, and owner and manager, intermingled in disposing of crops being hired at one of the ranches.

Mrs. Mills has heavy interests in this section, including an orange and lemon orchard of 130 acres near Pomona, 200 acres of fine land at Lordsburg, and the water works system of the latter town. Leaving aside a handsome revenue, which Smoot has been collecting for her.

CHARROS CLUB JINKS JOLLY MEMBERS OF THIS POPULAR CLUB TO TURN THINGS LOOSE ON THURSDAY EVENING.

"Eat, drink and be merry" is possibly the most appropriate expression to cover the purpose of the coming jinks at the Charros Club Thursday evening, July 16. No efforts are being spared by the committee headed by Miles G. Hyatt to make this event a memorable one in the annals of local jubilation. Stunts of a particularly jolly nature will preponderate and it is understood that each member will be appropriately dealt with in a manner leaving nothing to be desired that will conduce to the general hilarification.

Paul L. Daniels and Reggie Bassac have charge of the musical portion of the entertainment, and Dr. A. R. Conard is expected to deliver the oration of the evening. T. G. Springer and A. H. Shirk are in charge of the athletic, while the refreshment end will be taken care of by the committee as a whole. Striking announcements in circus style have been issued to members.

Great Reduction GOAL

\$3 per ton less.
James P. Taylor

459 Twelfth St.
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We make the best \$7.00 trunk and \$6.00 suit cases on the Pacific Coast. Ladies' leather goods of the highest quality at low prices.
Trunks and leather goods repaired.
Oakland Trunk Factory
20 SAN PABLO AVE., OPP. 15TH ST.

COMRADES SEE FISHERMAN LOST

Two Men Drown in Alaskan Waters While Crews Are Unable to Help.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—In sight of many of their companions, who were unable to reach them in the bilkard that raged at the time, Albert Smith and Albert Kervig went to their doom a few weeks ago in Johnson's Harbor, formerly a codfishing station in the Aleutian archipelago. The two men went out in a rough sea to try for codfish and were overtaken by a north-west gale. Their dory, after plunging about and flitting with the cry seas, went down with the men clinging to the gunwale.

News of the accident was brought down by the schooner Czarina Captain Koehler, arriving yesterday from Northwest Harbor with 185,000 codfish.

The winter has been unusually severe in the Alaskan gulf and fish have not been plentiful.

200 ARE RENDERED HOMELESS BY FIRE

SEATTLE, July 11.—Over 200 people rendered homeless and eighty buildings and contents destroyed, causing a loss estimated at \$100,000 is the result of a fire starting in a vacant frame house this morning. For more than an hour seven fire companies, aided fifty-seven men with a hydraulic giant, engaged in slugging operations on Beacon Hill, worked to save buildings in the neighborhood before the flames were under control. The tenant homeless are mostly Japanese although a few negroes and white persons lived in the burned district.

Talks on Teeth

By THE REX DENTAL CO.
(Incorporated).

Are Your Teeth Perfect?

There are only a few people who are blessed with perfect teeth. The majority have either lost many or are losing what they have left, and they are confronted with the proposition of supplying these missing teeth in some form.

Heretofore there was nothing better offered by the leading dentists of this country than the partial plate or ordinary bridge work. The partial plate fills the gap formed by the missing teeth, but that's about all that it does. It is a poor excuse for nature's teeth.

The ordinary bridge work as practiced by the average dentist is a tortuous piece of business from start to finish. No man would submit to wearing this sort of work for an instant if he knew of anything better. This advertisement is to show him something better and to present the virtues of Alveolar Method of restoring missing teeth without the use of a plate or bridge work.

Although this company has been practicing this method of dentistry for less than five years the business of the company has grown to such an extent that at the present time it does the largest dentistry business in the world. There is a reason for this growth, and that reason comes from the exceptional character of the work done in these offices.

We take great pleasure in submitting the following testimonial from Mr. Winters, for whom we put in our Alveolar Method:

"I am well satisfied with the teeth you inserted in my mouth. I have ten times more power with them than I had with the old partial plate. I am not anything that is eatable. I consider it a lucky day the day I went to you for consultation. I remain yours respectfully,
THOMAS WINTERS.
450 Brannan street.

In restoring missing teeth we follow nature's plan as closely as possible. There is nothing at all about the method that is painful or that will cause any discomfort. It is a common sense proposition all the way through, and our charges are no higher than those asked by other first class dentists for first class work.

If it is impossible for you to come to our office at the present time, send for our free book entitled "Alveolar Dentistry," a valuable treatise on the method that is so beautiful and that will afford thousands of dollars to any one afflicted with tooth troubles. Will you send for it today?

Look out for impostors and imitators. This method can only be had at addresses given below.

Rex Dental Co.
DENTISTS
OAKLAND: 80 and 81 Broadway Building, 12th and Washington Streets.
SAN FRANCISCO: 224 Pacific Building, 4th and Market.
LOS ANGELES: 209 Broadway Bldg.
Office Hours: 9:30 to 5:30.
Sundays, 10 to 12.

ONE-HALF PEOPLE NOT REPRESENTED, SAYS WRITER

Suffragist Claims the Right of Franchise

(By Mrs. Frances A. Williamson.)

Our idea has always been that justice pure and simple was the foundation principle of our government. The political expediency of the revolutionary measures, which resulted in the independence of the colonies, was not considered germane to the question. It simply was taxation without representation is contrary to every sentiment of justice, is therefore tyranny and will not be tolerated by any enlightened people. That principle has not changed. That sentiment still lives.

PERSON AND PROPERTY.

The right to protect person and property through the exercise of the ballot is not a question of concession or expediency. It is one of justice, founded on liberty, equality and law as ordained and established by "We, the people of the United States." Since women are acknowledged to be part of the people and enumerated in the basis of representation and citizens to the same as men are, it is contrary to the spirit and text of the Federal Constitution to hold them in political minority. If there was but one woman in the United States who desired to exercise the franchise, she should not be denied that right, because the right to vote inheres in citizenship regardless of numbers or sex, or condition other than legal disability or mental incapacity.

NO ONE BORN A VOTER.

It is true, no one is born a voter.

All are born the same helpless babe with the right to become men and women without hindrance. The right to trade, contract, marry and vote inheres in the infant, but can be exercised only when of legal age. The natural right to life liberty and the pursuit of happiness insure all that will protect these rights. The suffrage, then, is certainly one of the fundamental articles of our system of government.

INHERENT IN THE PEOPLE.

The Constitution of California—the same as other states—makes all political power inherent in the people. Women are one-half of the people. The text of Article 3 defines the conditions on which male citizens shall be entitled to vote, but this is followed by no prohibitory clause defining the conditions on which female citizens shall not be entitled to vote. The word male before the word citizen in this article is not a positive restriction against female suffrage, but a subsidiary statement under certain conditions that male citizens shall be entitled to vote.

RIGHT OF WOMEN.

On the principle that government is of right or it is usurpation, and since the right of government (in the United States) can be exercised only by the ballot, women citizens have the same inherent title to the ballot that men have. Furthermore, every bill

TO TAKE INSANE MAN TO ENGLAND

British Brother to Care for Inmate of Asylum for Twelve Years.

SANTA ROSA, July 11.—From the State Hospital for the Insane at Tehama, Mendocino county, across the American continent and to England will an insane man as his traveling companion is the trip Supervisor L. C. McCloud will undertake.

The patient, a aged man named F. J. Forster, has been in the asylum for twelve years. He is irrational upon certain things but few persons would have any idea that he is mentally deranged. He has a wealthy brother in England who has sent for him. Arrangements were made whereby McCloud will see that he gets to the other side of the world safely.

presented to the Legislature has in its preamble these words: "The people of the State of California represent in the Senate and Assembly do enact as follows."

The women are not represented, because they had no voice in electing the representatives. It is conceded by our ablest jurists that no such phrase as virtual representation is known in law or constitution. It is a subtlety and illusion, wholly unfounded and absurd. The women suffragists of California claim the right to the franchise by the same authority and for the same purpose that men claim and exercise it.

HORSE PLUNGES TO CANYON; LOST

Animal Left Unhitched Is Frightened by Boys Who Were Shooting at Squirrels.

Somewhere in the hills back of Fruitvale a big black horse is running wild and avoiding capture. The animal is owned by J. E. Henderson, an Oakland undertaker, and escaped yesterday afternoon when the rig it was drawing was wrecked at the bottom of a deep ravine. That the horse was not killed in the fall over the embankment is considered remarkable. Wilbur Henderson, the twelve-year-old son of J. E. Henderson, was fortunately not in the buggy when the accident occurred.

SEARCH IN VAIN.

All yesterday afternoon men in the employ of Henderson searched in vain for the horse.

Wilbur Henderson and two boy companions drove to Dimond canyon from Oakland, having taken out the horse and rig without the knowledge of the Henderson family. Several miles above Fruitvale the boys got out to shoot squirrels, leaving the horse standing in the roadway. The spring of the small ride evidently frightened the horse, for he plunged violently and dashed down the canyon. A few minutes later, in rounding a curve, horse and rig disappeared over an embankment. When the lady reached the scene of the accident the horse was nowhere to be found. The buggy was wrecked.

TELEPHONE KEARNY 2363.



NORTHERN ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY

SACRAMENTO VALLEY INTERURBAN SYSTEM

CARMEN JOHNSON BUILDING
SANSOME AND HALLECK STS.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

Placing the securities of first-class corporations direct to the public has been in successful operation for many years in France, England and in the United States. In the West, on the Pacific Coast in particular, the plan is practically a new one and for that reason it is my purpose to give a few reasons why we are now introducing this system on the Pacific Coast, especially California.

There is no reason why the public should not have the advantage of direct contact with responsible public corporations in purchasing securities which insures their protection and at the same time enables the investor to receive an interesting income which is generally larger than can be received through the channels of Savings Banks, Real Estate investments and mortgages. Take for instance, the Northern Electric Railway Company. This property is in successful operation, our present mileage consisting of 130 miles. We are running eight trains daily both ways from Sacramento to Chico. Interurban electric railroads today are opening up some of the most inviting fields for safe investments. Our road is in the Sacramento Valley, an inland empire in itself, and my associates and myself feel that our money could not be invested in a better enterprise. We have shown this confidence by already investing about \$6,000,000.00, but like all enterprises of this nature it is customary to sell securities and instead of restricting ourselves altogether to the old channels of underwriters and bond concerns, we believe it is a wise and broad policy to give the public the advantage of investing with us at absolutely no risk to itself and at the same time the investors obtain a good rate of interest.

A Bond represents a direct mortgage on any kind of property. The mortgage is held by a Trust Company instead of having the mortgage held by one person or Company. The Bonds are issued and the mortgage, as it were, is divided up into parts which enables the public to purchase in sums which they can conveniently afford. A Debenture Bond or Secured Coupon Note has the advantage over a Bond for the reason that it is a better security, for not only is the bond given as security but the controlling stock of the Company represented by the preferred stock as well as the individual personal liability of the stockholder is involved, for under the California State corporation laws the stockholders are liable, so therefore the Debenture Bonds carry three elements of strength.

- 1st. Mortgage or Bond.
- 2nd. The stock represents control.
- 3rd. The personal liability.

Some Railroads are built by what are known as construction bonds. The bonds are sold before the road is constructed and the money paid on the Bonds is put into the

Road, but such security is always more or less problematical. Our Road has been and will be continued to be built by capital furnished by the stockholders, and after a certain division is completed ten bonds are issued for property actually in existence. So, therefore, every Bond that we have issued is secure, for the Debenture Bonds represent actual cash invested, thus we feel justified in saying that the collateral security which we have deposited with the Mercantile Trust Company of San Francisco is of unquestioned value and the security absolutely first-class for every \$1000.00 Debenture that we sell we have deposited with the Mercantile Trust Company \$1500.00 in forty-year 5 per cent Gold Bonds and \$2000.00 preferred stock.

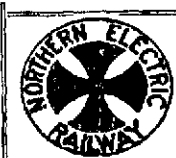
It is our purpose to extend the Northern Electric Railway until it has become one of the most important electric systems in this country, and it is for that reason that we are now offering our Debenture Bonds in convenient series of \$100.00, \$500.00 and \$1000.00 so as to reach the purse of every man with \$100.00 or more and give the small investor the same opportunity as the larger investor. My associates are:

E. R. LILIENTHAL, LOUIS SLOSS,
LEON SLOSS, W. P. HAMMON,
E. J. DE SABLE, JR.

and myself are all residents of California and our standing can be easily obtained through inquiring from banks in California, and so far as the Northern Electric Railway Company is concerned anyone can easily be assured of the successful operation by making inquiries through any merchant or banker in the Sacramento Valley and any of the cities through which this road passes from Sacramento to Hamilton on the north. The fact that banks, merchants and citizens in general throughout the Sacramento Valley are purchasing liberally of our Debenture Bonds (Secured Coupon Notes), is a commendation for anyone residing in California who has any money to invest.

Coupons are attached to each Secured Coupon Note so that all that is necessary to be done is to present the coupon June 1st and January 1st respectively and either cash it through your banker or the Wells Fargo Express. Should we desire to redeem the Debenture Bonds before they fall due, we pay a premium of 2 1/2 per cent, or in other words the moment that you buy one of our Debenture Bonds paying \$100.00 par it is worth to you \$102.50.

We should be pleased indeed to receive any communication addressed to us. It is our desire to serve the public in such a way as to warrant their confidence and justify their investments in our securities.



Northern Electric Railway Company

320 SANSOME STREET
SAN FRANCISCO.

Dear Sirs:

I, the undersigned, hereby subscribe for _____ dollars (\$ _____) bonds (secured coupon notes) of the denomination of _____ dollars to be issued by Northern Electric Railway Company, a Corporation, and hereby agree to pay the said Northern Electric Railway Company the par value of the said bonds on the delivery thereof, the said bonds to bear date the first day of June, A. D. 1908, and to be payable in United States gold coin three (3) years after the date thereof, with interest, payable semi-annually, in like gold coin at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum from the said first day of June, A. D. 1908, evidenced by coupons annexed to the said bonds, and the payment of the principal and interest of the said bonds to be secured by the pledge with Mercantile Trust Company of San Francisco of collateral consisting of first and consolidated mortgages, 5 per cent gold bonds and preferred shares of the capital stock of the said Northern Electric Railway Company, according to the provisions of a Deed of Trust, providing for the said pledge made by the said Northern Electric Railway Company to the said Mercantile Trust Company of San Francisco.

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Remittance may be made by bank draft or money order, or the Bonds may be sent to your bank, or through Wells-Fargo & Co. Express for collection.

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our Debenture Bonds.

Northern Electric Railway Company

SECURITIES DEPARTMENT

320 Sansome St., San Francisco

NELSON NELSON, ONE MAN WHO LICKED THE BAT

Nelson Has Had Rugged Old Career

The Battler Has Fought Men and the World Since His Youth

STARTED TO WORK AT AN EARLY AGE

New Champion of the World Has Been Earning His Living Since He Was Eight Years Old.



By EDDIE SMITH

Oscar Battling Nelson, champion light-weight of the world, gadsdocks, who'd a think it a man with a name like that the champion of the world? Why the mere suggestion of such a thing as a fighter with a name like that and coming from Copenhagen being the champion of any class would have brought ridicule to the suggester and a ride in a cage wagon to the booby hatch would be the come-back of most any of the old-time fans.

But that was in the days of yesterday, when the Sullivan, Corbett, Mathers, McFadden, Ryan, and any number of fighters with a dash of the nationality that goes with such names, ruled the roost.

Oscar Battling Nelson, is a queer thing, and the man that answers to it is also a queer one for, without any outward signs of great strength or ability to assimilate the punches of his brother fighters, he has tried all the best of a cage and has proven that he is the toughest thing that to the writer's knowledge, has ever pulled a glove over his hand. The first peculiar circumstance about this champion is the fact that at the time of his birth he was given the name of Battling, and the only reason that his father can give for it, is that the youngster was born fighting. That he should continue to fight all his life though, was not at first expected, or that he would prove the champion of the world and the greatest money-maker of the family was also not expected. This has been the case, however, for the Battler is today the champion, and besides this he is sending one of his brothers through college, and has earned enough of the world's necessities to keep the wolf from the door of the entire family.

NELSON'S WEALTH.
The Battler at this time is in debt about \$30,000, according to his figures, but he also says he would not sell his interests out for \$300,000, and greater sums who ever heard of the town of Higwisch until Nelson advertised it and placed it on the map, and what man in this entire country can boast of advertising a town as the champion has the little Illinois suburb?

Nelson has had a varied career since his birth, and according to his father, Nels Nelson, who is at present with him, and who, the Battler says is the only man in the world that can lick him, he has earned his own living since he was eight years of age. That the fighter has been studious and ambitious, however, is not known through, and he has been managed by nook and creek to pass the eighth grade in the public schools, and is able today, with the assistance of his



BATTLING NELSON AND HIS FATHER, NELS NELSON, THE ONLY MAN THAT REALLY EVER LICKED THE DURABLE DAN

father, to carry on an extensive realty business in the town he hails from.

HARD WORKER.
Every kind of hard work has been tried by this fighter who, Billy Jordan says, is the toughest nut in the business to crack. He has worked at cutting ice on Lake Michigan for fifty cents a day—and, to be sure, he has been cutting some ice ever since. He had a horse hitched to a canal boat, and it is said that the horse kicked him in the head, and for his trouble broke his leg (Jok); worked a year and a half in a machine; did a turn on a stone quarry; field hand; gang work; punched cattle in Dakota; and was known as a great rider—in fact, he just missed joining Chicago's rough riders by ten minutes. So it can be seen that he has had a fling at most every sort of laborious work, and to this fact he attributes to no small measure the wonderful strength he possesses.

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Poor Boobs Win Game From Fresno

ALAMEDA, July 11.—Pride goes before a fall and that was what happened at Fresno in today's game with the Oakland team. The Oakland Packers were over-confident and when the game broke up the score stood, Oakland 4, Fresno 3.

It appeared that the cool sea breeze chilled the warm southern blood of Fresno men. At any rate they played a listless, sleepy game and were awakened by the shock of defeat.

It was an eleven inning game, with Oakland last at the bat and Fresno in the lead, when with two on bases and two out, Walther made a three-bagger, scored two men and won for Oakland.

Batteries: Oakland—Goldy and Earl; Fresno—Baum and Blankenship.

This is said to be the second time that Oakland has won this season.

READER.—Pennroyal was the first horse Darney Schreiber ever owned. He bought the bay mare by Pennroyal-Delation from Eugene Leigh at the Guttenberg track in 1892.

NEWS AND GOSSIP THAT WILL INTEREST YACHTSMEN

The Corinthian Yacht Club cruised at Delaluma drawbridge last night and will return to the anchorage at the Oakland today. A good start started on the trip and with favorable tides should be a good sailing both ways.

The San Francisco Yacht Club has an open day.

The races from Vallejo, held by the San Francisco Yacht Club and the Corinthian Yacht Club last Sunday were somewhat marred by the high wind and rough sea which prevailed. The Corinthian did not suffer so much as the club from Sausalito, as the handicap race prompted by the Tiburon sailors ended at 21 Camp, while the San Francisco contingent on to Sausalito and encountered some terrific squalls near the finish.

The performance of the Presto was the feature of the Corinthian race. Commodore Stone started the race from Vallejo, and then got under way. He was easy to see, for he was the only boat that was not far enough to overcome the tide allowance granted the other yachts and win out by three minutes over the Nib. A number of the smaller yachts were

Reliance Club Boxing Night

• The Reliance Athletic Club will • hold their regular boxing show next • Thursday night, and the card as • announced by the management will • appeal to the fans as a very good • one. Three six and three four- • round contests make up the card • and the matchmaker claims that the • matches are all even and between • the sort of fighters that suit the • people who pay to see them in ac- • tion.

• Jack Clifford and Joe McGurn will • meet in the main event and as both • are hard hitters and clever boxers • the contest should be a good one. Will • Turner vs. John E. Suits, the auto- • mobile experts, into action. Kennedy • and Suits will "round up" all members • who own or control motor cars and get • them to participate in the fight. The • non-motoring members will be distributed • among the machines and a pro- • portion of 100 cars at least is expected • to leave the clubhouse on the morning • of the 2d and wend its way down to the • ferry. Here a special ferry boat will be • waiting for the Olympians and the trip • to San Jose will be made on the Alameda • county side of the bay.

On the arrival of the junketers at the Hotel Vendome a number of swimming • events will be held in the tank at the • hotel and the members who are not com- • petitors in the races will have a chance • to take a swim and freshen up for the • luncheon which will follow.

The return journey will be made on • the San Mateo side and the cars will • be timed to reach the city in time for • dinner.

President Humphrey and Secretary • Fenwick will lead the procession and • it is expected that by the time the trip • is ended everybody on both sides of the • lower bay will know that the Olympic • Club has been on an outing.

Olympians to Take a Trip to San Jose

Encouraged by the success of the out- • ing held at Escalante two weeks ago the • athletic committee of the Olympic Club • has planned another trip to the country • and August 2 has been elected as the • date.

The outing will take the form of an • automobile trip to San Jose, and the • fact that horseless carriages will be • used in the affair has started John A. • Kennedy and John E. Suits, the auto- • mobile experts, into action. Kennedy • and Suits will "round up" all members • who own or control motor cars and get • them to participate in the fight. The • non-motoring members will be distributed • among the machines and a pro- • portion of 100 cars at least is expected • to leave the clubhouse on the morning • of the 2d and wend its way down to the • ferry. Here a special ferry boat will be • waiting for the Olympians and the trip • to San Jose will be made on the Alameda • county side of the bay.

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San Jose Wins From Stockton

STOCKTON, July 11.—Stockton lost • the game with San Jose in the seventh • inning, when Mortarity made two errors, • falling in a double and getting the ball • late to first after a fumble. The visitors • got four hits in the same inning, three • of them after the fatal errors had been • made, netting them three runs. Stockton • had made two in the first. Stricklett's • support was almost faultless, only one • error being made. Walther, Steadman • and "Happy" Smith for San Jose earned the • fielding honors. Moskman pitched splendid • ball, but was accorded poor support, • as the error column shows.

Following is the score:

	AB.	R.	EH.	PO.	A.	E.
Campbell, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Shay, 2b	2	1	0	1	0	0
Mortarity, ss	4	0	1	1	3	0
Moskman, 1b	4	0	2	3	4	0
Henderson, 3b	4	0	1	14	2	1
Huckett, c	3	0	0	4	0	1
Dewey, lf	3	0	1	1	1	0
Moreing, lf	2	0	0	0	0	1
Morrison, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Joyce, 3b	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	31	2	5	27	17	5

STOCKTON

SAN JOSE.						
	A. B. R. H. E. P. O. A. E.					
Feaney, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Scure, 1b	4	0	0	15	2	0
Walther, 3b	4	1	2	1	0	0
Smith, 1f	4	0	0	2	0	0
Reid, cf	4	1	0	2	0	0
Bauer, 2b	4	1	1	1	1	0
Streit, 3b	4	0	1	3	2	1
Lacey, 1b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Stricklett, p	3	0	0	0	2	0

STOCKTON

RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.										
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
Stockton ..	.2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6-9
Base hits	.2	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0-9
San Jose ..	.0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0-9
Base hits	.0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	0-9

STOCKTON

Three-base hit—Moskman, struck out by Stricklett, 1. • Base on balls—Stricklett, 3. Left on • bases—Stockton, 6; San Jose, 4. • Bases—Shay (2), Campbell, Mortarity, • Streit, Steadman, 1st base—Huckett, 1st • base on error—Stockton, 1; San Jose, 2. • Hit by pitcher—Joyce. Time of game—1 • hour, 15 minutes. Umpire, McCarthy. • Score—Stockton, 2; San Jose, 5.

NELSON WRIGHT LOST WATCH AND CHAIN

There was a paragraph in The Tribune • a few days ago referring to the loss of a • watch and some jewelry belonging to Nelson • Wright. The loss, however, was sus- • tained, reported, by Nelson Wright.

American Athletes Will Have a Tough Time to Win From the Star Englishmen

By WALTER CHRISTIE.

While the American athletic team which is now in England ready for the Olympic games will be a hard aggregation to beat, I do not think that the Americans will have such an easy time annexing the honors as seems to be the general opinion in this country.

The times made in the flat races and hurdles in this country are all good enough to win, but it is doubtful if the American athletes can duplicate their times in England, where the climate has its effect and the tracks, owing to the weather being more unsettled, are not always as fast as rhinos on this side are used to.

America has a strong team in the sprints, and with Hector, Huff, Cartmell and Robertson should make an excellent showing, but it must not be forgotten that during his visit to England last summer Cartmell, who is one of the fastest of the American sprinters, was defeated by the English champion, Morton, who is still running in excellent form. In the 200 meters race England has a good representative in Jupp, who has done 21.5 seconds for 220 yards, which is fast time under the conditions which usually prevail in Great Britain.

In the quarter mile Montague, an English runner, has done 50.1-5 seconds on many occasions, and Lieutenant Ingham has twice within the past two weeks covered the distance in 43.2-5 seconds. There are a number of fast men in the middle distances on the British team. Just has done 1.55-4.5, Cornwalls 1.56, Astley 1.57-3.5 and Halswell 1.57. An Englishman has also run the 1500 meters in 3:59, which knocks six seconds off Paul Pilgrim's time at Athens three years ago. Halstead of the American team has done the distance in 4:01.6.

In the hurdles America figures to win the high with Smithson, Garrels and Shaw competing, but in the quarter-mile hurdles Hillman and Eaton will have to be at the best to bring the first-place points to this country.

The distance races show England to be very strong. Bellars of the New York Athletic Club won the Eastern 10 miles in 26 minutes 43 seconds, which is slow time when it is considered that England has three men in Hawtrey, Jacks and Duncan who can do five miles in 25 minutes and 24 seconds. Swanberg of Sweden has run the distance in 26 minutes and 22 seconds, so that it hardly looks as if America would take any points in this event.

Raguenau, the French distance runner, will also be a formidable competitor in this event should he decide to start.

THE STEEPCHASE.
In the 2,600-meter steepchase the runners will probably be about the same field as starts in the five-mile flat race, and should produce a good race. Americans do not go in for cross-country running and steepchase to the same extent as the English and the old country will have a better chance to excel points in this event. Raguenau will likely compete in this event.

In the field events the Americans have a fine chance to run up points. There are three pole vaulters on the American team who are always good for over 12 feet. Gilbert having a record of 12 feet 7 1/2 inches. Against them will be pitted the Canadian champion, Archibald, who has cleared 12 feet 6 inches and Goudier of France, who has done 12 feet 4 1/2 inches. It is said that the English management will not allow the competitors in this event to dig holes for the take-off, which may interfere with the performance of the Americans. The American high jumpers have a good chance, although they will have to go against

the redoubtable Con Leahy, who will represent the land of his birth. Ray Every should be able to take the standing jumps.

ROSE HAS CINC.
In the shotgun Rose of California should prove the winner. He has done 51 feet 7 inches in practice on the English ground, and as he is almost always sure to exceed 46 feet there is not much chance of his being defeated. Garrels and Coe of the American team are also good for 46 feet and should place, unless some unexpected contestant should develop. Flanagan, McGrath and Tabbot will be the mainstays in the hammer throw, and in the discus America has a strong representation in Sheridan, Dearborn and Rose.

The Marathon race and the walking matches look to be at the mercy of the Englishmen. The American team has runners in Underwood and Duncan, and in the walks America, not having this event on athletic programs, will not be represented.

The chances of the American team will be greatly increased if the weather is good before the meet and the track is fast. The Englishmen are used to heavy tracks and can make a good run when they are rain-soaked, but American runners set so little bad weather that they will be at a disadvantage should the track be heavy. Undoubtedly about

the record as a drawing card in all the theaters that fighters have appeared in, and says that the fact that he has never been mixed in a fight that was off color, and that he also gives the people a great run for their money is the reason for all this.

ABSTINENT FIGHTER.
Nelson has never smoked or drunk and is a great believer in the simple life. This also is claimed to have a deal to do with the wonderful stamina he possesses.

NELSON'S FUTURE.
The future for Nelson looks very bright, according to the way he has it all figured out. He says that after the Gans fight he will probably make one more fight and then he will say farewell to the ring for all time. He has enough money to keep him, and the clang of the bell or the coaxing of the fans will fall on deaf ears when he once says that he is through.

His wonderful fighting instincts and honest methods has won for him the admiration of the followers of the pugilistic game, and he will always be remembered as one of the greatest men the ring has ever known.

When Nelson steps into the ring for the third meeting with Joe Gans he will enter into the contest with no more confidence than he did for the meeting at Cosmo, when he was almost alone in figuring that he would win. It would be impossible for him to do so, and no matter which way the battle goes he will always be remembered as the one lightweight who entered the ring with the wonderful colored fighter who was not afraid of him.

It has been claimed that the wonderful recuperative power of the Dane and his ability to withstand punishment is due to a wonderful nerve force, such as no ordinary man can hope to possess. This analysis may be all right from a scientific standpoint, and may all be true, but to the average fan it would appear that on the day that this human battering-ram, with indomitable grit and courage, was born that a natural born fighter made of scrap iron was brought into the world, for his struggle has been an uphill one and most fighters would have become discouraged; yet this man has attained his life's ambition, and very few, if any, men alive today can say the same thing.

HUGH ALDRICH AND WIFE TO TOUR WEST

Hugh Aldrich, the well-known attorney, and his wife left last night for Lake Tahoe. They will visit Salt Lake City, Yellowstone Park and other places of interest, returning in August.

Among the commercial men who left for the East are Frank Belton of the millinery department of Kahn Brothers, A. Yehl of the cloak and suit department and M. Block of the apt department.

BANNER MEETING OF NORTH IS NOW WELL LAUNCHED

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MOST CONSISTENT HORSES.
 Glorio, the handsome colt belonging to W. P. Fine, the Golden Gate turfman, won the celebration handicap in a manner that stamps him a colt of considerable class and will make him the strong candidate for Derby honors. His popu-

Harry Stover is making a big book and George Lewisson is taking the money. The rest of the bookmakers are all poolroom keepers.

The best boys riding at Rutte are Singleton, Shriner and Ilustus.

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Team	Played	Won	Lost	Play
Olympics	8	6	2	
Refugee	8	5	3	
San Jose	7	4	3	

Student Minto of the California Lacrosse Association announced on Friday that the expelled Talago team would not take the proposed trip through the East and Canada. The expulsion from the Lacrosse League means the loss of the trip for the Talago team.

As a result of the standing matter, the A. C. as all of the teams with which the San Mateoites figures to play in the United States belong to the A. A. U., the trip had to be called off. Charles W. Clark of San Mateo, who offered to finance the trip through the East, stated that he would not consent to the trip on the conditions he did desire to send the team from San Jose losing its amateur standing.

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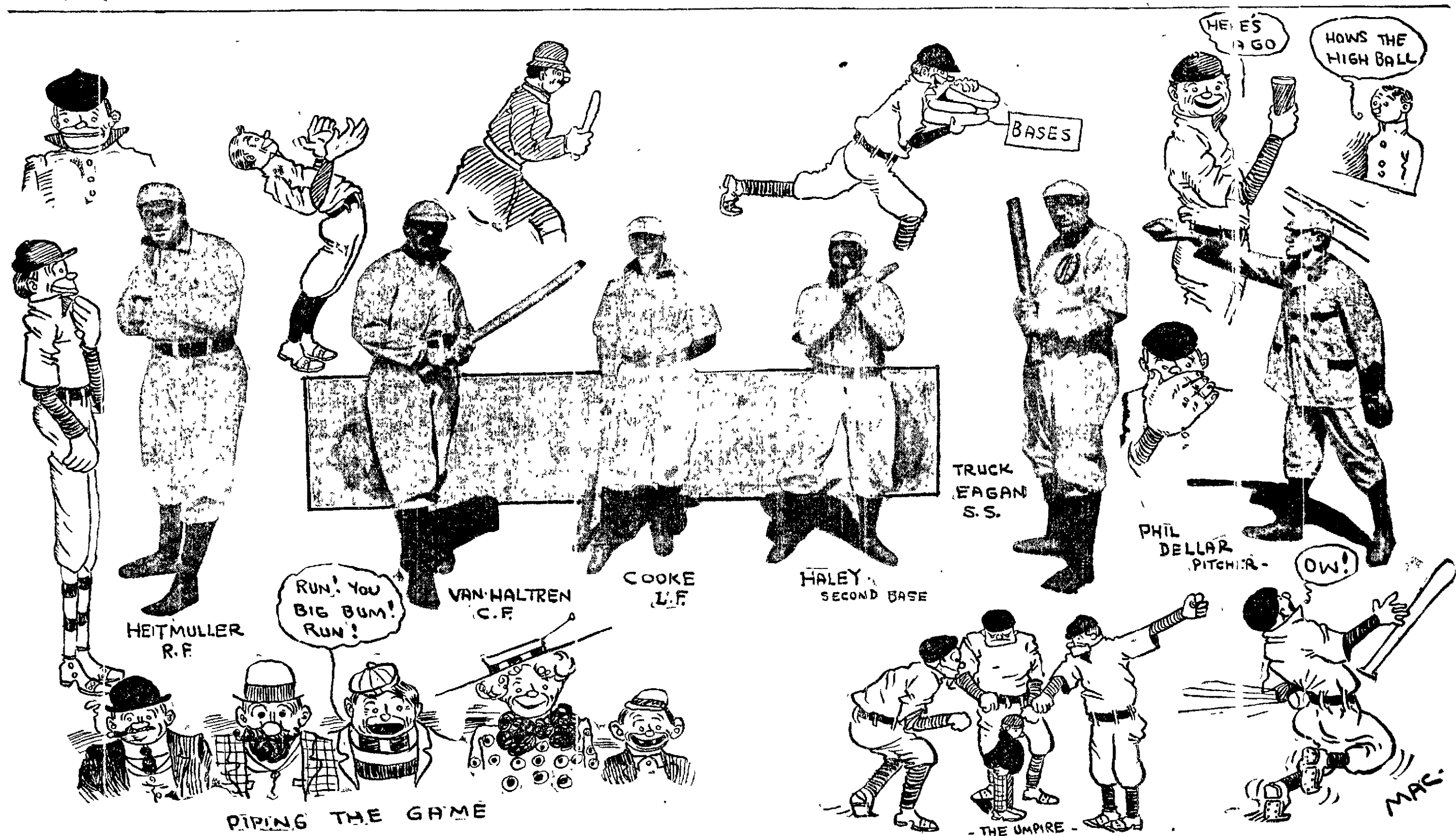
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ALTHOUGH neither Oakland nor San Francisco is showing any undue brilliancy on the ball field the article of baseball played up by the Coast League clubs compares favorably with that of the other leagues of similar classification.

There are but a few times in this league when one of the three best there are any number of other times in the matter of extra inning games. The Coast League more than compensates for this with other leagues.

Naturally there is considerable criticism of playing and trying to keep the game interesting by the "rubber," but this sort of thing is everywhere. It is what makes the game. The manager to say this is that one is a knocker. People pay to see a ball game and with the payment of that admission goes the right to a good comment on the doings of the diamond dailies.

LACK OF CRITICISM FATAL

If the ball players were criticized it would surely be a good thing. They would go from being a worse than a game would degenerate into a sport more fascinating and more interesting than a quiet match or a contest in ping pong. This would be a good thing for the players and the fans could take a nap, talk society, write means talking about their neighbors or talk politics or do any other thing while the game was on.

But then baseball is supposed to be a thrilling spectacle. A sport that will arouse one and work one up to a pitch where a person can reduce the superfluous energies and thus keep him from being a crab.

When baseball is rightly played there is a sport that furnishes a more enjoyable form of excitement. It is not the wild and frenzied excitement that of times at a prize fight or the nerve racking excitement that prevails at horse racing. But a fine natural excitement that gives one a chance to yell and holler and cheer the lungs. Fine sport when it is played right, and fine excitement and exercise when there is opportunity for getting excited.

Let them put a man on what some people are pleased to term knocking and our game of baseball would be so dead that even the mummies of Egypt would not enjoy it as a sport.

POOR PITCHING STAFF

Oakland's pitching staff is working none too well, and the chances are that there will be some changes in the near



By T. P. MAGILLIGAN

future. If you hear of any pitcher being tipped off the payroll don't get excited. Such a thing is very liable to happen on for the amount of work that the Oakland management is getting out of its pitchers they are surely carrying too many of them. Four pitchers if they are working well are enough for any team and to the writer's way of looking at it is an ideal number, especially if there is a young pitcher in the line up for emergency work.

What has been the real loud crash of the Oakland pitching department? The loud crash would have been working hard. He has won in and out of season and many of the games that he lost should really have been won.

Dellar looks like the writer to be a good pitcher. True he has not been winning of late but then his arm is in such a wretched condition that he cannot do his self hurt and he does not seem able to get it around into shape.

DELAR IS ALL RIGHT

Delar is a good man and when he works back into form he is sure to be of great value to the Oakland team. He has a fine assortment of curves, excellent control, a good head and plenty of speed. When the soreness leaves Delar's shoulder and arm the Oakland fans can rely upon him to do some good high class work. It is in him. It will come out of him when he gets going.

Also, this young Nelson looks good, and if Happy Hogan could be induced to return to the pitching fold and take a regular turn provided he is as good now as he used to be, Oakland would have a prospect to fair to middling pitching staff.

The return of Jimmy Smith to his old position in the field has strengthened the Athenians considerably.

SMITH AIDS TEAM

Smith is a good player, a fine fielder and a good man on the ball. He looks like a well liked by his fellow players, works well with them and inspires in them a good feeling. There is no man in the entire Coast League who has a surer

Oakland Nine Is Badly in Need of Shake-Up

Heedless Playing on Part of Team Has Put Them in Very Poor Position in the Race for Pennant.

better batting eye. He looks the most likely and does not run big wild at the bat or for that matter in the field of the bases.

Waco Smith a bit stronger is would be a big league candidate, and for that matter we look for young Smith to get a call from some of the big league clubs sooner or later. He has plenty of baseball material in him and when he is playing up to his standard he is about as lively an outfielder as the Coast League can brag of.

So far as the outfield is concerned, Oakland has a pretty fair trio of outfielders in Van Halteren, Smith and Heitmuller. Van is not as good as he was once but he is still a pretty fair sort of ball player.

INDIFFERENT INFELDERS

The Oakland infield will never elude the famous old stone wall of the Chicago White Stockings nor have they yet shown form that would put any dash on the countenances of big league infielders we have seen.

Altman at third is a jewel of a ball player. The Dutchman plays the game for all it is worth, and he pulls off many a play around the difficult corner. He is not the neatest or most graceful of ball players, but he is one of the few who can cover a world of ground and gets into difficult plays in a difficult way and gets out of them with just as much difficulty, but always gets out of them.

Eagan at short is fair to middling. He is not a Bobby Walla or even a Pete Delmar or Hollis Ziehl, but he is a pretty fair. To our way of looking at it he would make a much better first baseman than he is a short stop but we are not turning the Oakland ball club and thanks be to that it is not our fate.

At second, Hiley seems to have it in him to play ball but he does not manage to get all that is in him into the games. We have tried to boost Hiley into a good ball player, we have tried to knock him into one and to tell the truth Hiley is a player that a bit of proper prodding does not hurt.

COOKE A FANCY BOY

Cooke may turn out a fair sort of positioner but he shows signs of becoming accustomed to the fact that Hiley is by a whole lot.

At first base Hogan is no Hal Chase. He does pretty well, but to our way of looking at it Oakland could improve the

HARDY'S INEFFECTIVENESS LOSES GAME FOR OAKLAND

Southpaw Pitches Good Game Part of the Time and Then He Blows Up in the Air.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The struggle between the Angels and Oakland baseball teams was worth witnessing at Recreation Park yesterday afternoon up to the seventh period and then the bottom fell out. Southpaw Hardy had been on the verge of taking a working trip all the time and when the opposition began to bunch him it was all off with the veteran. Hardy was effective in the first half but only scored once. Lewis forced Altman who had singled and scored on Van Halteren's two batters.

The only hard hit to get to going in their half but only scored once. Lewis forced Altman who had singled and scored on Van Halteren's two batters. In the final session the Angels scored three times on a trio of singles and in error by Jim Smith. The Oaks made a couple of runs on a brace of safeties.

The score:

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REPUBLICAN RALLY IN ALAMEDA

Governor Gillett to Be Chief Speaker at Meeting Next Tuesday Evening at Encinal Hall.

AT ALAMEDA, July 11.—All preparations have been made for the big Republican rally to be held at the Encinal hall, Bay street, next Tuesday night. The list of speakers is being prepared and a few other details remain to be arranged. It is expected that the general plans have all been decided upon.

GOV. GILLETT SPEAKS
Governor Gillett has accepted the invitation to be present and will be the chief speaker of the evening. He will be followed by Congressman Knowland. The committee also expects to have Congressman McKinley and the third speaker but this plan may be changed to include another speaker as Congressman McKinley who was here last week is now at Santa Rosa and may be engaged in campaign work in that county.

The Elks Quartet has been engaged to sing and will give a number before and after the address and also between talks.

LADIES INVITED
Extra chairs will be provided so that all who can get into the hall will be seated. Ladies are especially invited to grace the occasion with their presence.

Parties unfamiliar with the hall may readily reach it by taking the broad gauge local train at either end of town and getting off at Sherman street. The hall is but a short block north of Sherman street and Santa Clara avenue.

SAYS ALL HIS MEN ARE EFFICIENT

Alameda's Chief of Police Well Satisfied With Force Under His Command.

ALAMEDA, July 11.—The semi-annual report of Police Chief Conrad was filed with the police and fire commission last night. The chief says all of his men are faithful and efficient. He recommends that the Commission purchase a new red light system be installed.

COMBINATION WAGON
The report of the chief supplying the department with a combined police patrol and ambulance wagon.

On account of the increased area to be patrolled the chief asks for ten additional officers.

During the six months 330 arrests were made.

FINES COLLECTED
Fines to the amount of \$1104 were collected during the half year.

Out of \$108.90 of property reported missing or stolen, the police recovered \$2502.65.

During the half-year 217 witnesses were subpoenaed and 561 jurors summoned.

During the half year, 116 out of 117 cases were collected as follows:

Liquor licenses \$1750 business \$700 dog \$33 wagon, 254 duplicates, \$750.

Berkeley Society

BERKELEY, July 11.—The wedding of Miss Leonora Flaming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Flaming of San Francisco, to John S. Stoddard, took place at the home of the bride, Monday evening of next week.

Following their wedding tour Mr. and Mrs. Stoddard will make their home in this city.

Mrs. Wallace Edwards was hostess at an informal luncheon a day or so ago at her home on Webster street.

Miss Sarah Edwards of Pasadena, who has recently come to Berkeley with the intention of entering the university.

Wednesday, Aug. 26, has been named as the day for the wedding of Miss Della Grubb to Professor Herbert Stansfield.

The ceremony will take place at Macfarlane Church, Grubb will be the bride and Della Grubb will be the bride.

Mrs. M. C. Noes, Miss Mary Noes, Miss M. Haynes, Miss Dempsey, Mrs. Mendell Wheeler and Miss C. M. Anderson were among the latest Berkeley arrivals at Hotel Belmont in the 10 semite.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. McCleave and family and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. McCleave are spending the summer near Lake Tahoe. They will remain away all of this month and a part of August.

Miss A. S. Stirling is spending the month at Camp El Estero on the coast of the relative.

Mrs. N. K. Winkler and Miss Alexine Dunning have returned from a year's tour abroad.

Mrs. M. G. Goring is entertaining a party of guests at her summer home in the Sacramento valley.

Charles Fox and wife of South Berkeley are spending the vacation in the northern part of the State.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinsey are planning to spend the greater part of August at McCreas near Cloverdale.

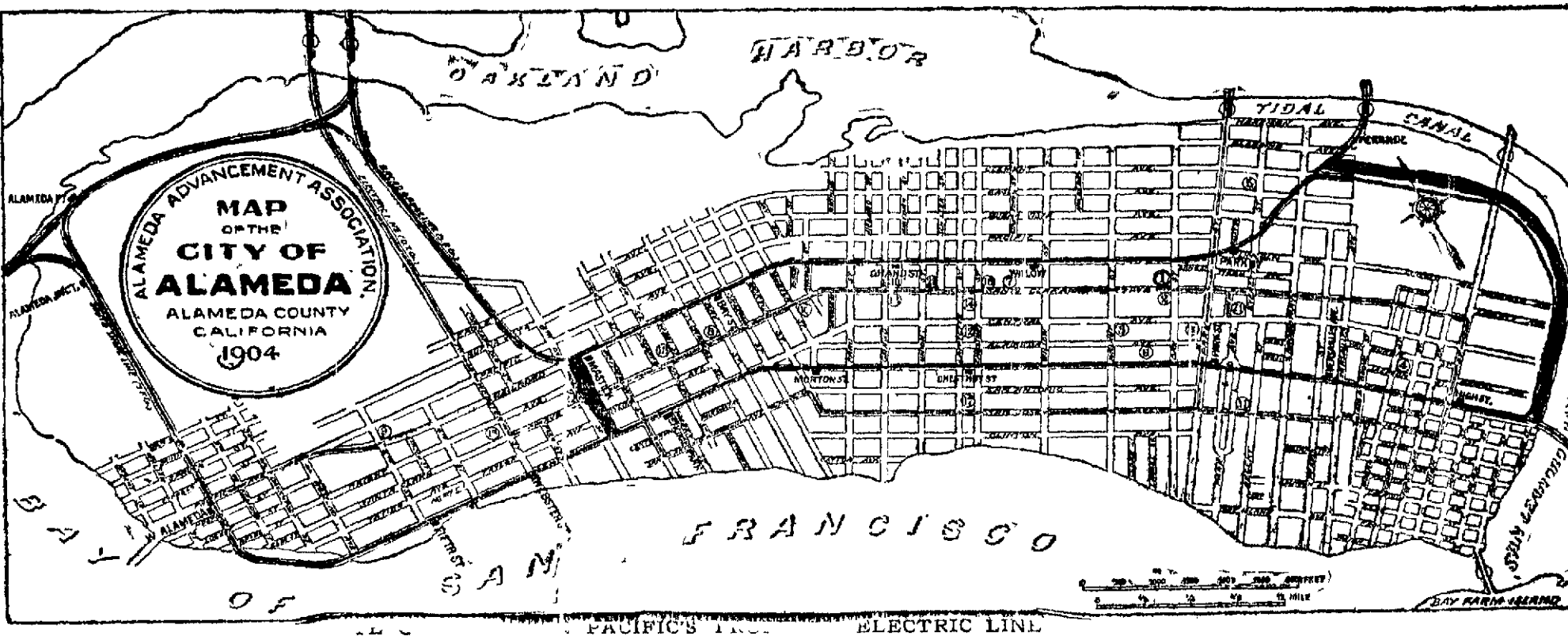
G. A. Gelsche and Miss Gelsche have returned from a visit to Monte Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Morton have returned from an extended tour of the Eastern States.

BERKELEY BREVITIES

Summer School Attendance.—The reports of Recorder James Sutton show that the enrollment of students at the summer school of the University is 642. The number last year was 551.

Alameda Ready to Grant Electric Franchises Tomorrow



EXPLANATION
Black line marks the course of the electric system of the Southern Pacific Company in Alameda. The two portions of the track with heavy black lines drawn parallel to them are not included in the existing franchise for the steam lines and require new franchise.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC WILL RUSH WORK

Citizens Enthusiastic Over New Line, Considering It Great Improvement.

ALAMEDA, July 11.—It is expected that the City Council will grant the franchise for an electric line in Alameda applied for by the Southern Pacific. At its special meeting tomorrow night, at the last meeting of the Council with a committee of officials from the Southern Pacific Company, practically all the details were arranged in regard to the proposed conversion of the company's steam lines into electric, and in regard to the new franchises to be granted in the east end and on Eighth street.

START WORK SOON.
The Southern Pacific has declared its intention of starting to work on the line at once.

In fact work has already been begun on Encinal avenue, where the rails are being laid further apart to accommodate the poles which will be placed between the tracks of the electric line.

Assistant General Manager W. R. Scott of the Southern Pacific delivered at the meeting last Tuesday night that the company was planning to have the work practically completed by the end of next year.

The route of the new system will be much the same as that of the present Southern Pacific lines in Alameda. The only difference in the route will be an extension of the line along Encinal avenue connecting it with the line along Railroad avenue by means of a track running along the shore of San Leandro bay and the Tidal Canal in the east end. This will connect with the Railroad avenue line at Clement avenue. It is for this line between Encinal avenue and Railroad avenue that the new franchise is required.

WILL IMPROVE ROAD
When the franchise is granted the company has agreed to improve the road along its route. This applies only to the grading, which will be done by the company with the exception of the Cohen tract where the company will also do macadamizing.

The Southern Pacific has also applied for a franchise to run a single track line on Prospect street connecting Encinal and Railroad avenues. When these two franchises are granted, the system will be completed.

The citizens of Alameda are enthusiastic over the prospect of the new line and declare that it will give their community added value in the eyes of other citizens.

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162 HOURS OF FIRE FIGHTING

Alameda Firemen Responded to 137 Alarms During the Past Year.

ALAMEDA, July 11.—The annual report of Fire Chief Krauth, filed with the police commission last night, shows that there were 137 alarms of all kinds, 19 box alarms, 67 telephone alarms and 51 still alarms. During the year 864 gallons of chemicals were used, 29,750 feet of hose and 107 feet of ladders raised and 162 hours of actual fire fighting were put in by the firemen.

EXPENSE \$34,532
The expense of maintaining the department was \$34,532.

The department answered 36 more calls than during any previous year.

The chief recommends the 1500 feet of new hose be purchased two new horses bought to replace worn out stock and the installation of much new pipe and additional hydrants as requested already made of the city.

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ENGINEER TAKES SHOT AT A THIEF

Ready Revolver Play Prevents the Stealing of a Bagful of Electrical Tools.

ALAMEDA, July 11.—At 11:15 p.m. last night the engineer of the electric line, who was on duty at the time, was shot at by a thief who was attempting to steal a bagful of electrical tools. The engineer, who was armed with a revolver, fired at the thief, who fled. The thief was not hit.

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SKIPPER DELIGHTS FRIENDS BY RETURN

Yacht Club Returns Safely After Cruise in Fog.

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Alameda Society

ALAMEDA, July 11.—Many Alameda society folk are returning from the summer vacation days and the social activities of this city are increasing in number each day. Quite a few well known individuals are entertaining friends or relatives from various parts of the state who have been attracted by the delightful surroundings and climate of Alameda.

Ivory Heston is here from Los Angeles for a brief visit. He brought up his son and will leave the boy with his relatives for a visit of a month or so.

RETURN FROM OUTING
Miss J. L. Allen is a daughter, N. J. Allen and J. L. Allen returned from their summer outing at Cloverdale. They left Alameda early in June and were away some six weeks.

Miss J. L. Allen of Seattle is in the city. She is a daughter of J. L. Allen and J. L. Allen. She will probably remain in Alameda for two or three weeks.

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in diameter. The fact that it comes from Hook Brothers, the big furniture house on Twelfth street is proof of the quality.

Hobson Appears to Have Well Developed Case of Megalomania

THE KNAVE

Rudolph Spreckels Balks at Paying Lincoln-Roosevelt League Bills

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The boo-ing of Hobson at Denver must have given a feeling of a satisfied revenge to a lot of sincere Bryan admirers among the Democratic hosts. For this is the same Hobson who, at St. Louis four years ago, was well to the fore in the attempt to bait the great Nebraskan.

When Bryan was speaking on the platform and had made a declaration that he was not a candidate and did not expect to be, Hobson rose behind him and in his loudest and most melodramatic tones shouted:

"God forbid!"

Many of the Bryan men remember that exclamation and the industry with which Hobson then followed the banner of Parker and the aristocrats, and they took it out on the wind-bag of the Merrimac when they got a crack at him at Denver. A good call-down has been coming to Hobson for a long time and evidently he got what was coming to him "good and plenty," as the boys say.

The fact is, Hobson, in addition to having a head for books and a heart for a big action, is a good deal of an ass. He has a marvelous opinion of himself and his head has grown out of all proportion to his deeds.

When he was out in California as a guest of James D. Phelan he was consumed with the idea that sleeping on the stomach was a cure for all ills and woes of human kind. He tried out his theory on everybody, whether they cared to listen or not. He made it a subject of dinner table talk, and at last one young lady at Del Monte, when asked whether she expected to have a good time during her stay, replied:

"Yes, if we don't have too much of Hobson's stomach for dinner every night."

But now that the one-time hero's "God forbid" has come back to plague him everybody can feel avenged, and at the same time men who believe in a greater and more efficient navy for this land will be slow to vote the Democratic ticket after Bryan has declared against a navy from his safe retreat at Lincoln, and his fellow Democrats have howled down Hobson when he shouted aloud the necessity of getting ready for a war with Japan.

The fuss and fury of our local Democratic factions must seem pitifully ludicrous to the easterners, who have no notion in the world that California ever again will be a Democratic State and so cannot see what our embattled and embittered little fellows have to squabble over. And Izzy Dockweiler of Los Angeles, coming from a State instructing for Bryan and declaring against injunctions in labor disputes, going on the platform committee and opposing Bryan's ideas and fighting the anti-injunction plank must have made the easterners wonder again and again what sort of freak politics we do in the Golden West and what kind of freak politicians we put to the front to carry our politics into effect.

Dockweiler is truly a strange specimen. He is full of the idea that Izzy is about the greatest thing in the way of a statesman that ever was grown in a State that grows all things big. It must be a continual wonder to him that he is not at least mentioned for the presidency or that the party does not seek him out for Governor or United States Senator, and it would do the eye good to see him strut when he caught the attention of some of the eastern correspondents and got them to take him seriously.

It was amusing when Jim O'Brien and his "Cabinet" tried to take up Dockweiler, some one having given out a tip that he was a coming man and a good fellow. But that wise congregation soon found that Izzy was a mere sounding pomposity without a trace of humor, and they let him go floating away in his own thin air.

At the time he ran for Lieutenant Governor with Lane, Dockweiler came upon San Francisco with a picture showing himself and wife and a long line of children representing at least a birth year.

"What do you think of that kind of a man?" asked he, proudly showing the picture to the late Jack Barrett of the "Examiner."

"I should say he was a d—d brute," retorted the snappy little Irishman, and the story followed Dockweiler through the campaign.

Keeping up the cheer for Bryan until the watches marked 80 minutes shows that that sort of thing is becoming farcical. The cheer for Bryan, when he made his speech at Chicago in 1896 was genuine, because there was a surprise in the oratorical triumph of a new man. Hearst got a genuine cheer at St. Louis four years ago, and so did Senator Cockrell, because he was in his home city, where he was well beloved. But for the most part these demonstrations are very suggestive of the claque, and though the performers may not be hired, many of them expect to attract attention by their show of superior enthusiasm and thus earn small jobs in case of political success.

Speaking of Bryan's success in 1896 reminds me that many uninformed people still nurse the notion that his speech on that occasion was largely, if not entirely impromptu. As a matter of fact, it was prepared and given to the press in advance of its delivery just like all the other set and notable speeches of all the conventions.

More than that, there were two long paragraphs of the speech as sent out and printed that were not delivered by Bryan at all. He had prepared them for delivery and expected to shoot them off. But Bryan has the genius of the orator and knows when to stop. When he reached his crown of thorns and cross of gold sentence the crowd rose at him and he had the rare sense to know that he had reached his climax. He quit right there and those two carefully prepared and generally

printed paragraphs by which he was to have closed his speech were not so much as hinted at or whispered.

There are no really great impromptu addresses. When they seem great and seem impromptu they either will not stand analysis or they were prepared for some other occasion and happened to fit the event where they seemed impromptu.

The selection of Theodore A. Bell as temporary chairman of the Democratic convention shows how poverty stricken the jackass party has become in the matter of big men—a subject on which I have written before. Bell is all right so far as he goes, and makes a very good figurehead for the order of Eagles; but no one would accuse him of being a great man—not even in Napa. But he seems to size up very well with most of the Democratic leaders, and it was a good thing for California to be recognized in politics again.

In 1896 Steve White was the biggest man at Chicago until Bryan eclipsed everybody. He was given the double honor of Chairman of the Convention and Chairman of the Committee on Platform—something unprecedented in the party's history. He was urged to run for President, but declined on account of his religion and the fear that his nomination would lead to a sectarian controversy. He may have been wise in that, for the religious zealots in Los Angeles have made a great fuss over putting his statue in a public place because he was a Catholic and drank a little whisky.

Though it is a good thing for California to be recognized in National politics again it's the very devil of a drop from Stephen M. White to Theodore A. Bell.

Since the political intermarriage of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League and the Bell Democracy the former has become quite active in gastronomy and it is related that its members have performed some wonderful stunts with knife and fork, to say nothing of their increased dexterity with spoons.

Prior to the May primary it was the custom of these eminent statesmen to make diplomatic preparation for the pursuit of the public job at one luncheon per week. But now their aspirations have so developed that six noon-day feeds are required each week for their discussion. The Executive Committee of this luncheon brigade consists of Kolla V. Watt, Byron Mayzy, Dr. Hugh Lagan, George L. Center and W. D. Fennimore. So active are these trencher statesmen at the noon hour of each secular day that the hotel man holding the subsistence contract already wears a wearied if not pained look. The enthusiasm and energy with which these reformers seek to build up their tissues so that they may be able to meet the strain of the campaign is most disquieting to the landlord who has to stand the brunt of the onslaught at 50 cents a plate.

Other than at luncheon time these gourmands of politics have not as yet displayed any extraordinary activity in the present primary campaign. At the noonday encounters with the menu their success is conceded by all who have seen them in action and the hotel man is reported to be willing to file affidavits in bulk to that end for the use of the movement for purity during the canvass.

There are rumors of a tense condition among the leaguers. It is said that a file of bills incurred during the last primary and aggregating \$1400 have not yet been financed by Rudolph Spreckels, who, it is claimed, promised to be the good angel of this political job for contracts, offices, franchises, etc. Spreckels' enthusiasm in the cause of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League is said to have sustained a chill and that eminent purist and reformer is now talking of organizing another party. The device which the banners of the new Spreckels movement is to bear is "Graft."

Spreckels has never recovered from the shock he sustained at that historic luncheon at Tait's, where one wing of the movement for State, district and municipal purity forced him to disgorge, renounce or throw up his aspirations for the United States Senate. While Spreckels has not officially denounced this act of the other job-chasers in the movement for self-righteousness, his course in relation to that \$1400 shortage is at least significant.

It is told that Spreckels wishes a party all to himself, one in which his aspirations alone will obtain. Why he should pay to send others to Congress or place them in State office he does not clearly perceive. He prefers to have the political trough for his own fattening exclusively. Hence he has been coy if not fickle in his treatment of the luncheon league of late.

Such energy of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League as is not absorbed in eating luncheons is to be directed to the defeat of Julius Kahn for Congress and the election of members of the Legislature who will favor Rudolph Spreckels or a man of his standing for the United States Senate. In the Congressional fight they are directing their especial attention to the Fortieth and Forty-first districts. They carried these two Assembly subdivisions at the May primary and must do so again or lose the Congressional convention of the Fourth District. For the leaguers to lose one of these Assembly districts would mean that they will have but a minority voice in the nomination of a Congressman to succeed Kahn. Although the primary election is a month off and there may be many new eddies and pools in the political sea in the interim, the outlook is for the regular Republican organization carrying both these districts on August 11th.

The Board of State Harbor Commissioners, as constituted under the present Republican administration, is a department of the State Government that certainly does things. Not only

do Commissioners Stafford and Denison, the majority of the Board, and who received their appointments from Governor Gillett, look after the industrial, constructive and financial interests of San Francisco's water front, but the social and political welfare of the employees receive their attention. Recently the 300 attaches of the Harbor Board formed a social club. The Commissioners gave the new organization their approval with the understanding that whisky and politics be not included in its declaration of principles.

It has been the practice of employees of the Harbor Commission, as well as those of other State departments, after securing their appointments, to settle down to a life of ease with the understanding that during the succeeding four years they would make no exertion, nor do anything for the administration or the political party it represented—beyond what was absolutely necessary to enable them to hold on to their jobs.

While it is understood that the Harbor Commissioners are not countenancing the doing of politics on the water front, there is an equally clear comprehension among the men on the bilge water line that not only are they to do the duty they were employed to perform for the State, but they are to see that there is an acute social and moral upbuilding in their various Assembly districts and political precincts generally at primary and general elections. An impression prevails among the men that the more good they do for the Republican party the better it will be for them individually.

Under the new regime the feature of the political "has been" may be found to be decidedly insecure of the city front. The Commissioners do things and the employees will be expected to go and do likewise.

The regular Republicans practically took charge of the County Central Committee last week. There is nothing surprising in this to any but the members of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, who imagined that they were in control of this local governing committee and were to continue to run it in the interest of the Democracy with which the League holds a meretricious relation.

There has been no time since the formation of the committee that the organization could not have assumed control of it in the conduct of its meeting as well as in fact. But for some reason the party leaders did not assert themselves until last week and their position of control was soon made evident.

There are thirty six members of the committee. The organization had about fourteen of these and Dan Ryan or the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, which he represents, had a following of a corresponding number. A little band of seven or eight under the leadership of Tim Sullivan held the balance of power and until last week usually voted with the leaguers on all non-essentials and in that way gave the Ryan wing top hand in the committee. But now all this is changed. The secret meetings, private detective work and bushwhacking of the Leaguers have availed them nothing in the long run. The committee is now in the hands of the regular organization and will take full charge of the campaign in the field over which it has control or jurisdiction.

The bolting leaguers are now openly threatening to do just what has been expected of them all along. They say that they will fuse with the Good Government League and other Democratic organizations controlled by Rudolph Spreckels. This has been the programme of this combination which has been endeavoring to betray the Republican Party to the Democracy on this a Presidential year. That they will be able to do the Republican Party any material injury is doubtful, for most of them have been voting the Democratic ticket for years and will simply do so again next Fall.

A leading feature of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League movement in this city has been its detective bureau. Private sleuths have trailed members of the "party" and this secret bureau seems to be what the leaders of the league rely most on to keep their men in line. Whether the control of this hawkshaw department is based on a knowledge of the records of the leaguers or whatever its cause may be it is unquestionably a most potent factor of this remarkable game for political spoils.

Among the leaguers who report to Gunshoe Burns are Tom McGee, the ex-pugilist and saloon keeper. Assemblyman Pete Kelly of the Twenty-eighth is on Gunshoe's political staff and after a recent meeting of the league wing of the County Committee took John J. Cass, the member from the Twenty-ninth district, to Burns to be braced up. Cass, who was previously inclined to lean toward the organization, became an ardent leaguer after he got his "bracer" from Burns. Committeeman Cass runs a boarding house in the Twenty-ninth, and what threat or promise was made him by Gunshoe he has not yet divulged.

The announcement by District Attorney Langdon that he has formed a law partnership with Louis De F. Bartlett, and that at the close of his present term as a public official, he will retire to private practice, is regarded by lawyers as a good advertisement on the part of the intellectual District Attorney, for clients. Langdon informs the public that he already has a large clientele in the East, but declines to name them, falling back on his privilege as a barrister, counselor and solicitor to forever hold such communication sacred.

That "Old Muley" should have taken the top floor of the Spreckels building for the purpose of receiving the fees of his clients in return for the legal profundity which will undoubtedly

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edly be kept on the counters of the new firm, seems quite appropriate. For the past year and a half Spreckels has been in on the ground floor of the District Attorney's office and practically run that alleged department of the municipal government. That he should now reciprocate by giving the Langdon meteoric understanding full play and ventilation on the top floor of his magnificent structure seems to be not only fair but in full harmony with the prevailing conditions.

A "Fight Trust" exists under the directions of the present Board of Supervisors, but I understand that there is little fear of the indictment of either the members of the Board or the "Trust." Two ex-prizefighters and one "sport" are the supposed owners of the three "clubs" that are now receiving all the permits for boxing contests in San Francisco and no one else can break into the game. It is even said that certain officials hold interests in the so-called "clubs."

Several times recently a committee of the Ariel Rowing Club, a well known incorporated organization of many years standing, has applied to the Board for a permit, but have been repeatedly turned down in favor of the "Trust." The "clubs" controlled by the "Trust" do not, in any way, come within the law, while the Ariel Club is in a position to comply with all the requirements of the Charter. I wonder why favoritism is shown and why the pluffers have not had the Board of Supervisors haled before the Grand Jury. No doubt the fight business pays.

"Doc" Rottanzi, known to fame as the framer of the ordinance requiring women to remove their hats in San Francisco theaters, almost had need for his own services as a physician the other day. Sudden frights are apt to provoke fatal attacks of heart failure, and the doctor certainly had both the fright and the suddenness.

While walking along Larkin street, last Thursday, the noble doctor met Chief Biggy, the alleged controller of the Police Department, who was just emerging from the Nordhoff Hotel. They proceeded to walk along together and had scarcely gone a hundred yards, when they espied a fat pocketbook lying on the sidewalk. Chief Biggy, as is natural for a man connected with the force, saw the prize first, and almost had it in his hands, but Rottanzi, who has developed a ponderosity of girth in the last few years, gently shoofed the Chief out of his way, a la Billie Bounce, and with a merry smile on his classic countenance rose from the sidewalk the victor.

At this critical moment the cry of "Stung" came from some banger-on at a cigar store near by, and the doctor, to the accompaniment of a very red face, dropped the bait. Together the man of medicine and the Chief hurried away, hoping that their identities would not be discovered, and, seeking the nearest shoe black, had him labor on their clothes with his various brushes and cleaning compounds in order to do away with the evidence of the battle for the mazzina that was not.

San Francisco is suffering from a veritable itch of political reformers. These agitators for a specially putrid brand of politics which they are pleased to call "civic purity" are all

job-chasers themselves. The itching palm is an insignificant malady as compared with the teasing desire for office that infects the systems of these bogus purists. As illustrative of the distressing symptoms of this irritating inclination for public office it is related that just prior to the last municipal campaign a group of politicians were assembled in the Fillmore street office of Dan Ryan. It had been suggested by Tim Sullivan, who was one of the party, that if the movement be successful an appointment as attorney to one of the departments should be given to young John McGee, brother of Tom McGee, who had been active in this wing of the game. Immediately there was a filing of claims for jobs that rivalled a rush to take up lands in Oklahoma. Ralph Hathorn, who is one of the loudest reformers of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, declared that he wanted to be attorney for this or that department. F. H. Dam, chairman of the Spreckels wing of the County Committee, declared himself in for one of the legal jobs. At this point Ryan came into the place and wanted to know: "Where do I get off?" "Oh, you are a candidate for Mayor, Dan," he was told. But this did not give Ryan surcease of his political eczema and he suggested that the office of attorney to the Public Administrator would about fit him if he failed of election as Mayor.

The other legal lights of the assemblage protested against this fat plan being thus disposed of. After a long consultation on the lines of "reform," "purity" and "good of the party," it is said that Hathorn, Dam and Ryan agreed to pool the salaries of the municipal legal jobs and divide the aggregate into three equal parts. In this clean-up of pap young Jack McGee not only got left, but was lost and forgotten. But, as "The plans of mice and men oft gang aglee," the big three also are still out of the coveted attorneyship as well as McGee. But all three are still engaged in reforming the Republican Party as members of the Lincoln-Roosevelt League, the main purpose of which is to betray the Republican Party to the Democrats.

The regular organization Democrats—otherwise the McNabites, appear to be about to come into their own again at the August primary. The Bell Bourbons undertook to formulate a programme by which they were to enter into a misalliance with the Spreckels leaguers and then adopt the Union Labor Party to give an air of respectability to the dubious political function. But the Union Labor Party has refused to pose as the little café au lait darling of this miscegenation and will put a ticket of its own in the field.

It was the following of Casey and McCarthy that the Bell-ringers and the Spreckels lunchers depended upon to carry the August primary for them. That they will be disappointed is evident from the fact that the Casey and McCarthy men are registering as Union Labor and propose to vote that ticket. In a letter from Sam Gompers recently received here that labor leader called upon the Union men to pay particular attention to and give their principal effort to the election of Congressmen. In this communication Gompers made no reference to the Presidential and Vice-Presidential candidates.

The story passes for true in political circles that Senator John Bunyan Sanford of Ukiah has suspended his aspiration to represent the Second Congressional district in the House of Representatives. During the recent Bourbon disturbances

at Fresno, Sanford was Bell's chief spokesman being the chairman of the convention and otherwise posing as a model of what a member of the new machine should be. Sanford took the Bell programme and appointed, or turned down, members of party who aspired to places of preference in the organization, as the boss dictated. The Senator from Ukiah was continued in his active connection with the Bell machine by his appointment as First Vice Chairman of the State Central Committee. This office is now of more than usual importance in the Democratic organization as Judge Raker, its chairman, is also Grand President of the I. O. O. F., the duties of which latter position will occupy much of his time and a portion and require his leaving the conduct of the affair of the State governing body of the Democrats largely to Sanford.

It had been understood that Sanford was to be rewarded for his loyalty to Bell by a nomination for Congress, but the word is now out that the Senator from Ukiah is no longer a candidate for the higher office and the House of Representatives will not even know him as a nominee in the present campaign. Whether Sanford does not like the present status of the Democratic party or does not yearn to try conclusions with Duncan McKinley this year has not yet been distributed through the channels of political gossip. That he will not be a candidate for Congress, however, is emphatically stated.

Former Congressman and Judge James H. Maguire appeared to have the right of way for the nomination for Congress from the Fourth on the regular Democratic ticket. But Maguire got out at a district meeting with Bell and assailed the organization so that now his stock is away below par if not actually off the board. At the last primary election the McNabites carried the Fourth by three to one and there is no apparent reason why they should not do so again in August. The Democrats of this district are talking of nominating George A. Tracy, president of the State Federation of Labor, as their candidate for Congress this fall.

There is talk among the Democrats of nominating Barney Murphy, the Bourbon sage of Santa Clara, for Congress in the Fifth district to run against F. Hayes. Undoubtedly Barney Murphy is one of the most popular Democrats in the State, but this talk of running him for Congress, as yet, is but in the complimentary stage.

When Tom Fox of Sacramento, in one of his tilts with Theodore A. Bell, charged that the new Bourbon boss had asked him to return an unpledged delegation to the Fresno convention, the contention rested on the word of the two men and their partisans apparently stood on the old line-up, the followers of Fox believing him and those of Bell accepting his version of the affair. I am told, however, that corroborative proofs of Fox's statement are available in different parts of the State in the form of written letters. Last week I saw a letter bearing the date "Dec. 30, 1901," and to which was attached the signature "Theodore A. Bell" that contained the following:

"I think it would be good policy for our delegates to go to Denver uninstructed. This will leave the delegates in position to use their best judgment after getting on the ground."

This letter was addressed to a leading Democrat and furnishes another example of Bell's agility as a political side-stopper.

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JEACON THOUGHT IT Y. M. C. A. SALOON

Was Mistaken, Pretty Woman Got His Watch and He Was Brutally Beaten.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 11.—Julius Weatherwax, Jeacon and Junior of the Congregational Church of Springfield, Huntington, came to Springfield to see the sights for the first time in several years. According to the story told in court today and Joseph Dean invited Weatherwax to a saloon, which they said was conducted by the Y. M. C. A.

One of the men suggested that they go to his room, which would be more exclusive. Weatherwax, who had no objection, and when the other man proposed making a call on a pretty young woman, who he said was "all kinds of good fellow," Weatherwax assented and cheerfully contributed to the purchase of a cold but.

WOMAN CORDIAL.

Weatherwax was received with cordiality by the woman, who insisted that he was "only Johnny" when he said he lived in the country. After a few drinks Joseph Dean suddenly grew angry and stoutly refused Weatherwax of "making" fire. The woman said he could not stand for any more drinking. "Take liberties with his sister-in-law."

AT DEACON'S WATCH.

As Weatherwax staggered some part of denial the two men pounced on him and beat him into unconsciousness. Then Weatherwax regained consciousness and his watch was gone. The trio had likewise disappeared.

Weatherwax reported his experience to the police and the three were arrested. The deacon's watch and money were found in possession of one of the men. The men pleaded guilty in court to the charge of larceny and were fined \$40 each. The woman, who said she was the wife of Edward Dean, was released.

"They don't read the papers up here very much, and I reckon I'm all right," observed Weatherwax as he left the police court.

REV. J. F. TRIVETT IS CONVALESCING

The Rev. J. F. Trivett, rector of the Church of the Advent, East Oakland, is recovering from a serious illness. He was suddenly stricken at a funeral service. His condition was considered to be critical for several days.

MISS BRIGHTMAN TO VISIT FRIENDS

Well-Known Local Violinist to Be Entertained in Inland Cities.



Miss Winifred Brightman.

Miss Winifred Brightman, the well-known violinist, will leave the latter part of next week for Stockton, where she will visit friends and relatives.

Miss Brightman expects to remain away for several weeks. She will visit other towns through the valley where she will be entertained by friends.

SPROUL'S CHILDREN WILL INHERIT FORTUNE

Attorney Lusk of Chico Adopts Offspring of His Deceased Law Partner.

OROVILLE, Cal., July 11.—F. C. Lusk, attorney, capitalist and banker of Chico, has legally adopted the two children of the late Attorney J. D. Sproul, Stanley Lusk Sproul and Marian Sproul, but they will fall heir to the estate of Mr. Lusk, which is a very large one.

MANY WANT LITTLE LADY OF THE LAKE

Waif Rescued From the Tide Will Soon Have a Foster Mother.

Creeping in obnoxious sleep as unconscious as the fetus she is creating is a flower is at the home of a young girl, the little girl found on the shores of Lake Merritt in the scumming home of the Ladies' Relief Society in the local North Oakland where over twenty persons have already called in two eagerness to adopt the little girl.

CREATES MUCH INTEREST

"We have had many strange cases but the rumors that this little girl seems to have created surprise even those who are accustomed to the waywardness of human emotions," declared the matron at the North Oakland home where the waif was taken immediately after being found.

"No sooner was it made public that the child was here than people began to ring out, but at all hours to see the child. Three of these were men. One of them, a well-dressed gentleman appearing man of about forty, light haired and smooth-shaven was the first to enter the finding of the child. He came with excitement and as he spoke his voice broke and became husky. He continued the matron.

"Do you know anything about this child? Is she probably related to you, do you think?" I asked him.

WHO WAS THIS MAN?

"That I must keep to myself," he replied very much concerned.

"We were so overcrowded that we had to send the waif to the Relief Society home and there is where the man evidently went after leaving here. It is seldom that men call here to inquire about foundlings, but this little lady was certainly an exception.

"She is just old enough to smile and that is about all we know of her," said the head nurse of the kindergarten at the Relief Society Home as she gazed about among her dimly charged, pattering one affectionately as the evening rations were distributed.

HAPPY LITTLE BABY

The little girl who was saved from the tide water of the lake in such a timely manner was tucked up in her small white bed happy as any child could be. As the nurse spoke a quick little smile flickered over the doll-like face with a glimpse of gladness that was one to see.

THE CHILD WILL BE TAKEN AWAY IN A FEW DAYS AS WE HAVE HAD MANY INQUIRIES FROM WOMEN eager to adopt the little one. We are trying to decide who will be the best one to give the child a proper home and have almost decided to let a lady at St. Helena have the girl.

pretty little girl who has already become the favorite of the home. She is a black-eyed, chubby, full-like bundle of humanity with a dainty position in her posture good for the child that was so plainly intended when the child was abandoned to the tide.

DR. ARCHIBALD IS NAMED AS DELEGATE

Dr. R. A. Archibald, city veterinarian of Oakland, yesterday received an appointment from Governor Elliott to be a delegate to the International Congress on tuberculosis, to be held at

Washington from September 21 to October 12. He expects to leave for the East the latter part of August to attend a meeting of the Veterinary Medical Association of which he is vice-president and which will be held in Philadelphia on September 8.

Scientific Facial Cultivation

Mouth-to-Nose Grooves, Wrinkles, Scowl, Crow's Feet, Sagging Cheeks, Baggy, Flabby, Misshapen Nose, Outstanding Ears, Greasy Brows, Baggy Eyelids, Withered Skin, Yellow Cheeks, Neck Lines, Scars.

An old face with a young heart is a bad and some people in the race of life by some defect of face or feature should investigate the wonderful achievement of up-to-date scientific dermatology as practiced in San Francisco by the New York Licensed Face Specialist.

Such work has never before been seen on this Coast, and their offices are crowded daily by both men and women, who come from far and near seeking relief from disfiguring blemishes of all kinds.

These doctors are the only scientific licensed experts practicing this art on the Pacific Coast. They positively make all faces young, make plain faces attractive, skillfully remodel any ill-shaped, deformed or broken nose, fill out flat, hollow cheeks and remove all imperfections of the skin and features without pain or scar, erase wrinkles, sagging and all signs of age by the only successful and lasting method.

They are always glad to explain their treatment to callers and are sending out a descriptive booklet of their work, plain sealed, upon request.

THE NEUTRALIZERS, (DRS. LAMPE & FOWLER), Cor. Ellis and Franklin Sts., S. F. Phone Franklin 2111.

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Leland's SAMPLE SHOE SHOP

All Women's Shoes \$2.00, Men's \$2.50. Regular \$3.50 to \$5.00. Values 5th Floor, 1st National Bank Bldg.

Snook & Church

Have removed their Law Offices to the Fourth Floor of the Oakland Bank of Savings Building. Corner of 12th Street and Broadway. Entrance, Room 405.

Mackray's JULY DISCOUNT SALE

DURING THE ENTIRE MONTH OF JULY WE WILL GIVE A DISCOUNT OF

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This discount applies also upon our entire line of 8-3x10-5 and 9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs. Nothing reserved. This is your opportunity to completely furnish your home or get the piece which will add to your room and comfort. Remember, too, you make your selections from the largest collection of High and Medium Grade goods made.

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RUSSIA, BAD BEFORE, IS WORSE

Hangings Every Day in Prisons and Dole of Human Blood Drains Very Life of the Nation.

LONDON, July 11.—Present conditions among the people of Russia are worse than they have ever been, according to Dr. David Soskice, who has just returned from that country.

Dr. Soskice, who is the leader of the Russian refugees in England and the editor of *Free Russia*, spoke in the following terms of the state of affairs in his native land:

"The situation in Russia today is terrible. There is not a corner of the empire that does not cry aloud for reform, thanks to bureaucratic rule. The situation in respect to general conditions is desperate, far worse than it was three or four years ago. HANGINGS EVERY DAY.

Every day ten to fifteen persons are hanged in the prisons; there are hundreds of thousands of political prisoners, and they are still looking about for additional room wherein to house more victims."

Dr. Soskice lays the whole fault at the doors of government by bureaucracy and declares that bureaucracy is getting from bad to worse. He calls the government worse than the prehistoric governments of cannibals. Not a day passes, he declares, that does not collect its dole of human blood, that it does not drain the very life of the country by wholesale execution of young men and young women.

EVILS INCREASING.
Dr. Soskice declares that not only are the existing evils getting worse by the minute, but that they are rendered doubly worse by the skill with which knowledge of this is kept from the world. "The bureaucrats," he says, "operate in the dark and operate silently. Persons suspected of revolutionary tendencies are marked, arrested, 'tried' and executed stealthily and so stealthily that while the number taken every day seems small, the sum total of deaths by the system is something frightful."

WOULD GO MAD.
"Had I stayed a few days longer in Russia," said Dr. Soskice, "I should have gone mad. Yet I heard Sir Edward Grey say in the House of Commons that things are really improving in Russia. Improving? Yes, for the Czar and his bureaucrats. For the people the number of executions is improving daily in volume and extent. Death and madness are improvements on living in Russia today, and that is all the improvement the people know or hope for."

ADVISES FIGHTING.
Dr. Soskice has been an outspoken critic of the Russian government for years. He says what he likes from the lecture platform and writes as he thinks best in the columns of his paper. Whenever he chooses he goes boldly to Russia and invariably returns unimpressed.

"In 1905 when the general strikes in Russia seemed to give every promise of ultimate civil war he counseled the revolutionists thus:
"Fight—fight with revolvers, with rifles, with hand grenades, with dynamite; but keep up the good fight."

MISSIONARY FROM SIAM TO TELL OF HIS WORK

Rev. Callender to Preach at Brooklyn Presbyterian Church This Morning.

The Rev. E. R. Callender of North Laos, Siam, will preach at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church this morning and evening. The morning sermon will be on missionary work and the evening subject, "Unnecessary Weeping."

Religious services today in several of the other local churches are as follows: Union Street Presbyterian Church, Union street, between Eighth and Tenth, Rev. Joseph Newton Boyd, pastor. Rev. Harry Countz will preach at 11 a. m. on "Red Drama," and at 7:30 p. m. on "Life's True Standard."

SERMON ON TEMPTATION.
Shattuck Avenue Church (Methodist). Morning subject, "Temptation." Evening subject, "Where Patriotism Begins." Alfred J. Kennedy, pastor. St. John's Episcopal Church, corner Eighth and Grove streets, Rev. E. F. Gee, rector. Services: Sunday, celebration of the Holy Communion, at 7:45 a. m.; Choral Eucharist (sermon), 10:45 a. m.; Choral Evensong (sermon), 7:30 p. m.; Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Daily celebration of Holy Communion, Monday at 9:30, other mornings at 8.

Twenty-fourth Avenue Methodist Church, corner of Twenty-fourth and Pine and East Fifteenth street. Rev. J. E. Wright, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Morning subject, "What is Pleasing to God?" and the evening theme, "High Altars."

Watchers' meeting at 866 Broadway (upstairs). Praise service and testimony meeting at 8 p. m.

WILL ADVERTISE STATE IN CHICAGO

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Charles S. Peck, passenger manager of the Southern Pacific, just back from the long annual conference of the Harriman line's passenger men at Chicago, said today that they had recommended an appropriation as large as ever known in any preceding year to be used for advertising, particularly the Western country. Despite the slack times, the passenger men argued that big advertising should be done, and all the more so, J. C. Stubbs, traffic director of the Harriman lines, will divide in his head office at Chicago within the next thirty or forty days whether or not the recommendation shall be endorsed.

PANAMA OFFERS BIG TRADE HERE

San Francisco Merchants to Bid on Supplies for 30,000 Men.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—Supplies for the canal zone, upon which local merchants are bidding after having been granted a flat rate of \$2 per ton by R. P. Schwerin of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, will go to meet the requirements of nearly 30,000 men.

That this fact has a big significance to local merchants is brought out in a special letter issued today by the local Chamber of Commerce.

The special rates which were made to the local merchants apply to the proposals in question only. Schwerin states he made this concession to local merchants in this instance only, more in order to assist them in laying the foundations for future business than to enable them to participate in the present competition.

Circular No. 1 of the Isthmian Canal Commission, issued by Major C. R. Krauthoff, U. S. A., stationed at this port, has been placed in the hands of the Chamber of Commerce. The circular calls for fruits in syrup, cherries, pears and peaches, to be delivered at La Boca, Panama. Estimates required are for a period of one year and will be opened at 11 o'clock July 20 at 1008 North Point street.

CROSS BAY FOR QUIET WEDDING



MRS. ROY DAVISON.

Oakland Girl Marries in San Francisco and Couple Leave for Honeymoon.

Mrs. Ruby Burgeon and Roy Davison were quietly married in San Francisco by the Rev. T. Fendelling on Wednesday. Only the relatives of the young people witnessed the ceremony, after which the couple left on a wedding trip. On their return they will reside in a cozy little home which the bridegroom has prepared. Mrs. Davison is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Burgeon of Sixth street and has a host of friends on both sides of the bay.

THREE SUITS FOR DIVORCE ARE FILED

SAN FRANCISCO, July 11.—The following complaints for divorce were filed at the County Clerk's office yesterday:

HARTJE FIGHTING ALIMONY DECREE

Pittsburg Millionaire Appeals From the Order to Pay \$33,750 to His Wife.

PITTSBURG, July 11.—Augustus Hartje the millionaire paper manufacturer, whose sensational divorce litigation has attracted wide attention, has taken an appeal to the Supreme Court of Pennsylvania from a decision of Judge Frazler, who ordered him to pay his wife \$22,750 expenses and \$7000 counsel fees.

In the appeal Hartje makes no mention of the \$5000 alimony a year. He believes the other accounts are too large.

CHARGED WITH SETTING ESTABLISHMENT AFIRE

LOS ANGELES, July 11.—Charged with burning down a portion of the town of Lodi, in an attempt to destroy his printing establishment and collect the insurance, H. E. Hopkins, former publisher of the Lodi Times, is under arrest in this city. The request for his arrest came from the sheriff of San Joaquin county, and it is said that Hopkins has been traced through seven States. He has been employed here as a printer.

Yesterday: Annie Barker against George Barker, desertion; Abraham Crow against Dora Crow, desertion; William H. Atwood against Tillie Atwood, desertion.

NOMINEE SHERMAN VISITS HIS OFFICE

Will Be Operated on in Utica Hospital Probably in Ten Days or Two Weeks.

UTICA, N. Y., July 11.—James S. Sherman, the Republican vice-presidential candidate was well enough today to visit his business office and remain there for an hour. He expects a visit from Chairman Hitchcock of the national committee sometime next week. It is announced that Sherman will be operated on in one of the hospitals in this city, probably ten days or two weeks hence.

DEMOCRATS LEAVE TO VISIT MR. BRYAN

DENVER, July 11.—A special train bearing the members of the national Democratic committee and newspaper correspondents to call on William J. Bryan will leave here for Lincoln Monday evening. Mrs. Ruth Bryan Leavitt will also be with the party. They will arrive at Lincoln early Tuesday morning.

WILL ASK FOR PLACE ON BALLOT

Petitions will be filed Monday with the Board of Supervisors at Oakland by the Democratic and Union Labor parties for positions on the ballots which will be used in the county primary election on August 11. Four political parties have now applied for designation on the ballots. Friday the Independence League and the Republican party filed similar applications.

NEW RULING ON THE HEPBURN ACT

Interstate Commerce Commission Decides Question Concerning Switch Connections

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The Interstate Commerce Commission today announced a decision holding that the Hepburn act does not grant plenary jurisdiction to the commission to refuse an application for switch connections with lateral branch roads. It decided that it is the duty of the interstate commerce carriers to connect with a lateral branch road if reasonably practicable, safe and justified by efficient business, upon application of either the lateral line or the shipper.

OAKLAND MAN WEBS AT SANTA BARBARA

SANTA BARBARA, July 11.—Casey Martin Casperson, a native of Oakland, a resident of Oakland, and connected with the New Alhambra Theater, was married by Justice Overman to Miss Stella de Figueroa, a native of San Francisco, with parents French on her father's side and a Pennsylvania mother. Casperson has been divorced from his first wife. The couple are spending the honeymoon at the Porter.

SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES.

SNELL SEMINARY
2221 Channing way, Berkeley. Girls' Boarding and Day School. Certificate admits to University of California. Began 1907. MRS. EDNA SNELL, PRINCIPAL.

"Tis a Feat to Fit Feet"

Here Is a Tip for Every Woman and Man.

The Rochester Sample Shoe Parlor will open in the Bacon Block, room 222, 223, with 10,000 pairs of sample shoes, manufactured from the finest shoe manufacturers in the United States, made to sell for \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00, all to be sold at \$2.50. No more and no less. Here is an opportunity that has never been brought to the people of Oakland and vicinity, and it will be advisable for everybody to come and convince themselves of the truth. Remember, every pair in the house is \$2.50 a pair.

We have gathered samples from all the New England shoe manufacturers and we will be able to furnish all sizes and widths to everybody, so one with a small and narrow foot can come up as well as one with a large and broad foot. We want to impress upon you that you will get \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00 shoes and ties of all descriptions for \$2.50 straight.

We have taken particular pains for the last six months to contract the very best samples from the very best shoe manufacturers in the United States—and it will be to your benefit to come early and get the best choice. Come and see us in the Bacon Block, room 222 and 223, third floor. We have plenty of room to accommodate everybody, so don't delay and come at once. Our sample rooms will be open to the public Wednesday, July 15, at 9:30 a. m. Remember the place. Rooms 222, 223, Bacon Block, third floor, Washington-street side. Take elevator in center of building. The Rochester Sample Shoe Parlor.

CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR THE MONEY INVESTED.

The Great Sacrifice Sale of Wrecked Railroad Freight

Begins tomorrow with the following list of bargains for Monday and Tuesday. We would advise those that can, to avoid coming Monday on account of the immense crowds attending this sale. Tuesday will be just as good.



\$50,000 WORTH OF MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CLOTHING FROM THE RECENT NEVADA RAILROAD WRECK PLACED IN THE HANDS OF

THE UNITED MERCHANTS OF AMERICA

Retail Warerooms, 913, 915, 917, 919 Market St., Near 5th, Between the Old Emporium and Hale's

to be sold at once at such prices, as will bring a forced Sacrifice Sale. This Sale last for 7 days only, as matters between Shippers and Transportation Companies must be adjusted. This entire stock is thrown at your mercy at

From 10c to 45c on the Dollar---For 7 Days Only---No Longer

Men's Suits

Over 2000 Men's Suits, both in late summer styles and early fall goods, from the best makers of good clothing in the land. Full suits will be sold at less than half price. The odd garments will be sold for the cost of sewing and trimming.

\$1.85 —One lot of Small Men's and Young Men's two-piece Outing Suits; all wool; in very good condition; worth up to \$12.

\$3.85 —Men's all-wool Outing Suits, in Union Cases; coat, pants and vest, full suits, light and some dark and medium colors; worth up to \$15; all in good condition.

\$7.50 —Men's double and single-breasted Blue Serge, Black Thibets, All-Wool Cassimeres, Chevots, some silk and Venetian lined; hand-tailored; up to \$22.50 values.

\$11.50 —Choice of more than 1000 Suits; hand tailored, imported materials; Serge, Thibets, Wool Cassimeres, All-Wool Worsteds and manipulated silk mixtures, in the latest fall styles; in absolutely perfect condition; worth up to \$30.

Men's Pants

Over 1500 pairs of summer outing and fall weight tailor-made Trousers at less than the worth of the material. These run from 30 to 50 waist, and from 28 to 38 inch seam.

95c —For a lot of all-wool, worsted and corduroy Pants; in most perfect condition; worth up to \$3.

\$1.85 —For a lot of hand-tailored wool, worsted and silk mixed materials; up to \$4.50 values.

\$2.85 —Big lot of imported manipulated worsteds, pure wool serges, cassimeres and silk mixtures; worth up to \$7.50.

\$3.85 —For choice of the best Pants in the lot; full custom tailored; imported broadcloths, pilot cloths, custom worsteds; pure yarn worsteds; latest custom tailored finish; worth up to \$10.

Odd Vests

15c —Will take choice of about 300 vests; some slightly soiled and some in perfect condition. There are also vests in the different styles; also pure wool and worsted materials; values run to \$5.

\$1.20 —200 extra fine and fancy wash and wool novelty vests; all sizes; worth up to \$5.

\$1.85 —A lot of imported novelties, in the very latest fashions, in silk and wool; also fine wash vests; sell usually at from \$5 to \$8.

Suspenders

15c —For choice of 100 dozen broken-up or opened in the wreck shipped from Wilson Bros.; high-class furnishers and suspender makers of Chicago; up to 40c values.

25c —50c and 60c suspenders.

35c —For silk webs and others; worth up to 75c.

Summer and Wool Underwear

Twelve cases of summer and fall wool underwear, more or less broken up, and in some cases slightly soiled.

15c —For summer Shirts and Drawers, or medium weight fall Shirts; sell regularly at 50c; in good condition.

39c —For a lot of Linene Mesh, English Balbriggan; silk trimmed and hard buttons; all sizes; \$1.00 values.

65c —Wool underwear or ribbed goods; also natural color fall weight Merino; most of them in perfect condition; all values run to \$1.50.

85c —Very fine wool garments, in fancy color balbriggan; silk trimmed; values up to \$2; in perfect condition.

Odd Coats

95c —One lot of odd coats, mostly all-wool materials; 95c for choice of several dozen light and dark colors; in fair condition; worth up to \$5.00.

\$2.45 —For a lot of odd coats from \$15.00 to \$20.00 suits, where the pants or vests were soiled or lost in the railroad wreck.

Men's Shoes

There will be a Sacrifice Sale of this railroad wreck footwear that will make every shoe dealer in San Francisco tremble.

\$1.00 —Choice of 100 pairs of violet kid, solid calf shoes; worth up to \$3.00.

\$1.85 —For Welts, in patents, tan and calf, and Oxfords, Bluchers, Bals; worth up to \$4.00.

\$2.85 —For Patent Vels, French Calf, Cordovan Tan Calf and Goodyear Welts; 20 styles of toe and shape of last; values running up to \$6.00.

Hats

\$1.35 —21 cases of Hats, fall shipment; soft and stiff hats; in transit to the Hub of Portland, Oregon; values up to \$3.00.

Shirts

About 200 dozen Shirts, where the cases were washed and most of the sizes broken. There are all sizes in some lots, but not all sizes in every style.

39c —For choice of a lot of Golf and Negligee, in light, dark and medium patterns; worth up to \$1.00.

65c —For a lot of new fall styles in Golf and Negligee; worth up to \$1.50.

85c —For a lot of very fine Negligee; come with six sets of fancy buttons. French Linene materials; made to retail at from \$1.75 to \$2.00; come in sets of three styles in a box.

\$1.35 —For a lot of Phillips-Jones Co. French Silkene, Drab de Teau and Mohair materials; worth up to \$2.50.

Fine Pique styles and French silk mix materials in perfect condition, 45c on the dollar, regular retail values.

To the Women of San Francisco and Vicinity

During this sale of 7 days there will be opportunities here such as you never saw before in all your life. About \$12,000 worth of goods in Ladies' Wear, also Blankets and Lace Curtains, will be sold at prices that rap at the door of reason of every third lady within reach of this store.

Shirt Waists

65c —One extra nice lot, in perfect condition, of the very newest early Fall styles, in white, light, blue, and pink, all sizes, all values.

95c —An extra fine lot of French lawn, lilies, newest styles. Values run to \$3.00.

\$1.65 —One lot of net and silk, also extra fine linen, lawn, etc., up to \$5 values.

Undervests

74c —For choice of lot of 35c mercerized ribbed, lace trimmed Yoke, undervests.

15c —For a lot of mercerized ribbed vests, in pink, blue and white, very fancy trimmed yokes, 50c values.

Wrappers and Kimonos

39c —For choice of 61 dozen light and dark long wrappers and kimonos. Values \$5 to \$1.00.

Black Petticoats

69c —Choice of several hundred Heatherloom \$2.00 Petticoats, flounces are ruffled or pleated and full flare.

Skirts

\$2.85 —For all-wool, fancy cassimeres and worsteds; full hand-tailored; values run from \$7.50 to \$10; also black, blue and plain, in poplins, mohair and Panamas; values to \$7.50.

Ladies' Long Coats

\$2.85 —There are about 60 of these, in all-wool fancy chevots, in medium and dark colors; worth up to \$15.

Lace Curtains

95c —For Arabian, in ecru and white; \$2.50 values.

\$1.35 —Arabian and Swiss styles, in ecru, cream and white; \$3.00 values.

Ladies' Suits

\$7.85 —One hundred and thirty-five Suits in all, in early fall styles, will be sold at cost of material.

\$11.85 —For black, blue and fancy colors, full silk line, pleated and plain skirts; suits worth from \$15.00 to \$25.00.

\$4.85 —Lot of early fall styles in tailor-made, long sleeves, in mid-summer materials, raw silk, etc.; values run to \$35.00.

Linen Suits

\$4.85 —For choice of any linen suit in the house; big variety of colors and styles; values run to \$15.00.

Silk Trimmings, Decollete Gowns and Wedding and Ballroom Gowns, in the very latest and newest styles and fashions, in all colors, including black, at half price. To goods sold on approval. Sales begin daily at 9:15 and close at 5 p. m. Saturday at 10 p. m. N. L. SHAFER, Gen. Mgr. JAS. CRAMER, Adj.

Earthquake Proof Construction.

The remarkable progress that San Francisco has made and is making in rebuilding her destroyed structures is attracting the most comprehensive attention. Not only is it treated in the popular prints, by newspapers at home and through correspondence with newspapers at a distance and abroad, but technical magazines and periodicals take account of its many scientific phases.

Professor Redway of the Geographical Journal has an intimate article on the subject, doubly interesting from the fact that he combines the observations and deductions of a scientist with practical experience of earthquakes, having been through the former severe disturbance in the region about the bay—that of 1868.

In view of this, his views as to the building construction best calculated to withstand earthquake shock are entitled to respectful consideration.

For all structures that can bear the expense, the steel frame is recognized as the best calculated to resist the tremor; but as the cost involved is too great for dwellings, and even for the majority of store and business structures, he confines himself chiefly to a consideration of the more popular construction of stone, brick and wood.

Professor Redway holds, as of first importance, that a building, to escape collapse from earthquake shock, should vibrate as a whole. It is therefore essential that there should be strong foundations, well bonded, well-built interior walls; lateral walls tied by joists or iron rods; trusted roofs, and that the mortar in which the walls are laid should contain 20 per cent of cement.

He cites that the Stanford University buildings, which were understood to be fire-proof but lacked these essentials, collapsed completely, while the Palace Hotel, with many well-laid walls and a truss roof, though built in a period when fire-proof construction was in its infancy, was little injured by the earthquake shock.

The common impression that wooden buildings are not well calculated to withstand earthquakes he holds is not borne out. It is an undoubted fact that wooden buildings came through that awful 18th of April with less comparative damage from the shock itself than those of other material though many of them were old and no thought had been given to earthquake resistance when they were erected. If wooden buildings are thoroughly built as a whole, and not in segments, on a solid foundation to which they are securely fastened, and the roof timbers trussed or tied, they are almost ideal, in Professor Redway's opinion, for dwellings in an earthquake district.

Professor Redway lightens his serious and technical dissertation by telling of personal observations in San Francisco. After stating that the city has paid more than a quarter of a billion of dollars for the knowledge taught by the earthquake of April 18, 1906, he says that from the top of Nob Hill on Christmas Day of that year he surveyed nearly nine square miles of ruins, with only here and there a sign of rehabilitation. A year later he climbed Nob Hill again, and a wonderful transformation had occurred. More than 5000 buildings were going up and the hiss of compressed air and rattat-tat of riveters were incessant. It might be added that if he should now ascend that commanding eminence that so picturesquely overlooks San Francisco he would find progress going beyond that of six months ago in comparative ratio as that eclipsed the view of the first Christmas after the fire.

Tom Watson Speaks Up.

The political doings in another part of the country during the week were obscured by the dust raised around there near Pike's Peak. All eyes were turned to the Colorado eminence, in the shadow of which Mr. Bryan was holding a convention and choosing a running mate for the great race in November. That considerable distraction served to draw away notice from Tom Watson and his Populist convention down in Georgia.

It will be remembered that the Democratic ticket of 1896 was a freak affair, like the Japanese goldfish sometimes kept in a glass globe in the parlor. It had two tails. One of these was Tom Watson. The Democratic party at that time was considerably tinged with Populism—or at least, Bryan was—and the Georgian came into the tail place most naturally. Watson is Populistic yet, but as the movement lost its hold, through having won out in the State of Kansas and giving the country a touch of what might be expected when it won out all over, Mr. Bryan ceased to believe in the eternal principles which it espouses, and went chasing other vagaries. So when Watson addressed the faithful who met and nominated him for the Presidency last week he had things to say of Bryan.

One of these was as to his catering for the negro vote in connection with the Brownsville affair. In this connection Mr. Bryan appeared at the time to think he saw the colored vote coming down the pike. The natural consequence to Southern Democrats of such truckling for the colored vote could be nothing else than disgust and anger. Watson took advantage of this and demanded to know if the people of Georgia were to do such a thing as to cast their ballots for Bryan, just because he was on the Democratic ticket, when he was in favor of catering to the negro? He answered himself, and settled the matter to his own complete satisfaction.

In this connection it is to be observed that Mr. Bryan dropped the Brownsville affair like an overheated spud. It went through one edition of the Commoner, but was never referred to anywhere in the dispatches more or less inspired by Bryan, or in the deliberations at Denver—deliberations that were so noticeable for their prodigious overflow of language.

Automobile Accidents Increasing.

Automobile accidents seem to be steadily on the increase. Of late they have served but one purpose other than to horrify, and that is to divert attention from Fourth of July accidents. Really it seems there have come to be so many ways to get killed that one particular danger loses something of the terror it once did in contemplation of all of them.

What is there about an automobile that transforms the most cautious man—the man who in other connections considers every move with the utmost care—into a regular devil-may-care person, bent on beating limited trains and getting there at the rate of a mile a minute? We see this transformation of character very often if we have any acquaintance with automobilists.

More stringent laws are always suggested when the dangers from the automobile are discussed, but this would not reach a large number of cases where the injured are their own victims. The man who buys an automobile cannot be kept under surveillance for his own protection, and would object to it most strenuously if it were possible. He would ask indignantly if he needed a guardian; if he

did not know how to take care of himself; perhaps a little later to be brought in from the county road a mangled mass. There is no way to restrain these. But there is some possibility of taking in hand the automobilist who is reckless about town, or on highways largely used by others.

The danger from automobiles must add considerably to the nervous strain of people other than automobilists. In the busy hour, attempt a crossing at Broadway and Fourteenth, for instance. Traffic converges at that point, and many vehicles are to be dodged—electric cars, the great variety of horse-drawn vehicles, bicycles, motor-bicycles and automobiles. All except the last named give natural warning or other their imminence is otherwise appreciable; but the automobile steals on you unawares, it is so swift and noiseless, and often when you have looked all about, and conclude you are all safe and may relax your vigilance, an automobile comes whizzing up from nowhere that you took account of before, and you have to jump to escape it. In nine cases out of ten, the driver appears to enjoy your agility and to have no thought that there might have been an accident.

However much we may deplore these things and demand relief through ordinance, we are moved by the piteous spectacles so often repeated, of men and women being crushed to death and maimed by accidents that happen to them while out automobiling.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS

Turn flattery wrong side out and you have slander.

Pay as you go, but try to have enough to get back on.

Somehow, the majority of our good habits never get found out.

Ever notice how narrow minded most people are who argue with you?

Boasting of their strong points is a weak point with some people.

It is easier for a woman to talk on any subject than it is for her to stop.

A confidence man naturally has no confidence in any man but himself.

Our idea of a romantic girl is one who sends out invitations of her elopement.

Some people think they are in the manufacturing line because they make promises.

One may get along without doctors, lawyers and preachers, but the groceryman is indispensable.

The average married man has about as much to do with managing his home as a mouse has with managing the family cat.

When a girl tries to dodge a kiss she always manages to do it in a way that enable her to catch it square on her lips.

REFLECTIONS OF A BACHELOR

When a girl wants you to squeeze her hand it is a sign she will make more fuss about it than if she didn't care.

There is always a lot more enjoyment in smoking when you are worried for fear you will spill the ashes on the floor.

To maintain her social position a woman needs to have things in her wardrobe whether she can wear them or not.

Every woman would like her son to go into the ministry except that she is afraid it would stand in the way of his being president.

Something a woman can never learn is that when a man who works hard all year gets a little holiday he'd rather spend it enjoying himself than visiting her relatives or having them visit him.

AMERICAN SHIP
GOES TO AMAPALA

Cruiser Will Remain at Honduran Pacific Port "as Long as Necessary."

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The cruiser Albany has been ordered to Amapala, the Pacific port of Honduras, to remain as long as necessary. Captain Henry L. Mayo, commanding, will investigate and report conditions growing out of the revolution and the necessity of protecting American interests. The Hondurans have feared the revolutionists might capture Amapala. The cruiser will start by Monday from Panama, the distance being 700 miles. She will take aboard at Panama 100 marines wanted for duty at San Francisco.

31,414 BABIES
DOOMED TO DIE

Chicago City Council Appropriates \$10,000 in Effort to Check Summer Diseases.

CHICAGO, July 11.—To save babies the city council of Chicago made a special appropriation of \$10,000 last night. Intestinal diseases among infants, caused chiefly by the hot weather, have been of such frequent occurrence in Chicago that, according to relative figures, the deaths of babies due to these complaints this year will reach the startling total of 31,414. Alarmed at the prospect of this wholesale slaughter of the innocent, the council authorized the transfer of \$10,000 to pay 100 physicians who will be employed by the city to disseminate information concerning the causes and prevention of summer sickness among babies.

EFFECTIVE BATTLE
WITH WHITE PLAGUE

Public Mind Gradually Awakening to the Necessity of Preventive Measures.

To the Editor of the TRIBUNE: Sir.—Professor William H. Welch, M. D., J. L. D. of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, says: "The new knowledge on which the prevention of infectious diseases is based is the discovery of the cause of these diseases by such men as Pasteur and Koch and presently adds that in Germany and especially France and England, much of this knowledge has been put to a practical use that the death rate has been reduced to a third, in many places to one-half."

But he adds: "In America this new knowledge is applied to a lamentably small extent. We are a reproach to the civilized world," because so inattentive to the public health "and prevention of disease."

PUBLIC MIND AWAKE.

Professor Irving Fisher, before the American Association for the Advancement of Science, in Chicago, January last, said: "At last the public mind is awake to the fact that many diseases, notably tuberculosis are national scourges." And he insists that "the Federal authorities should join with all the State authorities in warring against the dreadful scourge of tuberculosis."

It is said by our statisticians that in this country we average four hundred deaths daily from tuberculosis. And Dr. Solis Cohen estimates "that consumptions alone now number not fewer than 1,000,000." And says of preventive measures "The importance of the work cannot be overestimated."

In a leaflet by the Committee of One Hundred, in New York, Dr. George M. Gould estimates that "the waste from sickness and death amounts in dollars alone to more than \$3,000,000,000 annually," of which the claims "over one billion dollars is undoubtedly preventable."

PUBLIC NOTICE.

The Committee of One Hundred on national death, names as their methods the use of "circulars and pamphlets," "mass meetings and lectures to popularize the educational work." It is because this scourge so nearly approximates a public calamity that it is called the white plague. And if it be true that by hygienic and other measures it is possible to save a considerable number of these lives it is less than criminal to treat this matter with indifference.

But the question is, what can be done? And then who will, Samaritan-like, lend the helping hand? Of course, in a campaign against the white plague, the press and platform are the chief factors and certainly will not fail in any important movement involving the public good. And the first thing to be done is evidently to bring the matter squarely before the public conscience.

FOUNDING OF INSTITUTION.

Then, following in the wake of men already having this work in hand in New England and the middle west, the interest will be focused in the founding of institutions for the treatment of tuberculosis—chiefly dispensaries and sanatoria. According to the latest available report, there are already in this country, sixty city and local organizations and fifteen State societies. But we have to add we are yet without a permanent organization in California. The question is, Shall we have such an organization here?

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DEPARTMENT MANAGERS' SALE

WHICH OFFERS YOU GREAT CHANCES FOR SAVING.



This Sale Swings Into Its Third Week Tomorrow With New Bargains In Every Department

As this sale advances the crowds grow bigger—the interest intensifies—the selling records mount higher and higher. This is not told in a spirit of boastfulness, but to prove by the judgment of those who came and saw and bought that our Department Managers are keeping their promise to make this the greatest value-giving event of the year. The people on this side of the bay are far too clever to keep coming—again and again—for unworthy bargains.

THERE NEVER WAS A TIME WHEN DOLLARS WOULD ACCOMPLISH SUCH WONDERS

Look at the following list of bargains for tomorrow. Did you ever see greater reasons for attending a sale? And remember that not one in ten of the money-saving attractions are advertised. I would take this entire paper to tell of all the under-priced things that are here for you to see and buy. Come—don't miss the most interesting bargain carnival ever held in this city.

Women's Sample Handkerchiefs

On Sale Tomorrow—Monday—Morning
AT ACTUAL WHOLESALE PRICES
See Window Display

OUR MANAGER SAYS—"This is an extra choice collection of samples. It contains about 1200 Handkerchiefs—in plain hemstitched and embroidered. No two are alike. The Handkerchiefs are worth at wholesale all the way from 45c to \$1.00 a dozen, and will be sold singly at actual wholesale prices by the dozen. For example—Handkerchiefs worth 45c a dozen wholesale will be sold at 4c each—those worth 75c a dozen will be sold at 6 1/4c each—those worth \$1.50 a dozen will be sold at 12 1/2c each—those worth \$2.00 a dozen will be sold at 17c each—those worth \$3.00 a dozen will be sold at 25c each—those worth \$4.00 a dozen will be sold at 34c each—those worth \$6.00 a dozen will be sold at 50c each. In other words, you can buy single Handkerchiefs at the price I usually pay for them by the dozen." Sale Prices Range From

4c each to 50c each



OUR Manager says—"Business is fine—unprecedented. Last week beat the week before by several hundred dollars. I expect to be even busier this week. In fact, I expect the interest in my department to keep rising just as long as I can sell such rich silks at such beggarly prices. I have held one of my biggest bargains in reserve for the third week of the sale. Here it is:"

75c Shantung de Lyon Silk 39c

Selling Starts Tomorrow Morning at 8:30

See the Handsome Washington Street Window Display

Shantung de Lyon is a member of the Pongee family. This particular lot was dyed and finished in Lyons, France. The goods are full 28-inches wide. They are very rich and heavy—very brilliant and lustrous—very beautiful and serviceable. We have every standard color—every new summer shade. As the quantity is limited to about 3500 yards—a very small lot for a Silk Sale at Kahns—we respectfully advise that you come as early in the day as possible. These 75c Silks will sell as rapidly as our salespeople can cut them off at 39c a yard, and unless you come promptly the color you want may be gone.

39c

For 75c Silks

39c

For 75c Silks

"Venus" Barrette

The Prince of All Hair Retainers



OUR Manager says—"Come and see the merits of this wonderful little invention demonstrated. Its safety lock attachment holds the hair firmly in place. Hundreds of women have told it was worth its weight in gold. Shell or amber—six styles—plain or fancy. Sold exclusively at The Always Busy Store."

10c, 12 1/2c, 20c, 25c, 35c

LACES—EXTRA SPECIAL

OUR Manager says—"This fine lot of Laces arrived just in the nick of time for the third week of the Department Managers' Sale. It consists of 4620 yards of Tulle, Normandy Val and Cluny Laces in white, cream and ecru. Widths range from 1 to 6 inches. Patterns are the new ones for next fall, and uncommonly pretty. The Laces are worth up to 25c a yard. But I secured them at a next-to-nothing price, and will sell them to you at.....5c

Prices of Ready-to-Wear Garments Take Another Drop

Still Greater Reductions to Keep the Crowds Coming and the Goods Going

OUR Manager says—"My bargains for this week are nothing short of marvelous. Not only have I slashed still deeper into the prices of all lagging lots, but many of my most exquisite garments—garments that I thought too good and too beautiful to sacrifice last week—have been reduced to a regardless-of-cost-or-value point and tumbled into the bargain jumble. I am determined that my department shall be swept clean of all summer goods and odd lots by the time this sale ends. See the following bargains—see those that I haven't space to advertise."

FASHIONABLE NECK FURS, COATS AND MUFFS HALF PRICE

These handsome Neck Furs and Muffs are made of real Mink, Japanese Mink, Water Mink, Fox, Squirrel, Coney and Caracul. Some are samples—some are from our regular stock. All are reliable in quality—handsome—stylish—desirable. Anticipate your needs for next fall and winter; your dollars will do double duty now.

\$1.00 Furs - - 50c	\$3.95 Furs - - \$2.00	\$10.00 Furs - - \$5.00	\$25.00 Furs - - \$12.50
\$1.50 Furs - - 75c	\$5.00 Furs - - \$2.50	\$12.50 Furs - - \$6.25	\$30.00 Furs - - \$15.00
\$2.95 Furs - - \$1.50	\$7.50 Furs - - \$3.75	\$15.00 Furs - - \$7.50	\$45.00 Furs - - \$22.50

WOMEN'S SPLENDIDLY TAILORED SUITS—The odds and ends of our most successful season—Jacket, Eton and Coat styles—made from a great variety of fashionable fabrics in solid colors, stripes, checks and plaids—original prices \$25.00 to \$45.00—now all reduced for a quick clean-up to.....**\$15.00**

WOMEN'S AND JUNIOR'S SUITS—Splendidly made of light weight summer materials in pretty stripes—the Women's Suits are in regular sizes—the Junior Suits will make excellent school dresses for misses of 12, 14 and 16 years—the cloth alone is worth double the price we ask for the suits—NOW.....**\$5.00**

WOMEN'S RAJAH SILK SUITS—This season's choicest styles—Alice, blue, tan, brown and black—also a few fancy stripes—made of an extra fine grade of silk—desirable as can be—regular price \$35.00 and a superior value for that money—now reduced to the amazingly low price of.....**\$12.50**

Lingerie Waists \$2.95
WORTH TO \$6.00—Made With Handsomely Embroidered Yokes.

\$3.00 All-Wool Norfolk Jackets \$1.95
For Women and Misses—All Colors—All Sizes.
THIS IS ONE OF THE BEST BARGAINS IN THE SALE

Peter Pan Waists \$2.50
WORTH TO \$6.50—Made of All-Silk Taffeta—All Colors.



Blankets and Spreads

Surprisingly Small Price—Greatest of All Bargains

OUR Manager says—"There is no mystery about the extraordinary business my department is enjoying. It's simply because I am selling the goods that people want at a third to a half less than other stores charge. It will pay you handsomely to visit my department to see these Blankets, Spreads and Pillows—also the bargains in Rugs, Curtains and Comforters. I promise to save you a good many dollars."

Large Savings on Good Blankets

\$1.25 11-4 White Blankets 98c	\$8.00 11-4 White Blankets - \$6.50
\$1.75 11-4 White Blankets \$1.33	\$1.25 Large Gray Blankets - 98c
\$2.50 10-4 White Blankets \$1.98	\$1.75 Large Gray Blankets - \$1.33
\$3.50 11-4 White Blankets \$2.50	\$3.50 11-4 Gray Blankets - \$2.75
\$4.50 11-4 White Blankets \$3.45	Plaid Blankets—Fine line—\$5 to \$10

\$1.00 FEATHER PILLOWS REDUCED TO 69c
Our entire stock of Feather Pillows is selling at cut prices.

Bed Spreads Greatly Underpriced

\$1.00 Honey Comb Spreads; 4-4 size.....60c	\$2.00 Marcellines Spreads; 4-4 size.....\$1.50
\$1.25 Honey Comb Spreads; 4-4 size.....95c	\$3.00 Marcellines Spreads; 4-4 size.....\$2.10
\$1.50 Honey Comb Spreads; 4-4 size.....\$1.20	\$3.50 Marcellines Spreads; 4-4 size.....\$2.30
\$2.00 Honey Comb Spreads; 4-4 size.....\$1.60	\$2.25 Honey Comb Spreads; 4-4 size.....\$1.50

Pretty New Wash Goods

25c and 35c Values **14c yd** 25c and 35c Values

THE GREATEST BARGAINS OF THE SEASON

OUR Manager says—"I made great preparations for this sale. Bought every good lot I could find. Lucky I did. Selling has been phenomenal—the goods have disappeared like magic—and if my reserve stock hadn't been immense, the shelves in my department would be as bare as those of Old Mother Hubbard's cupboard.

This Lot of 25c and 35c Wash Goods at 14c is the Most Extraordinary Bargain I Have Yet Offered

Many a store that rates itself big would jump at the chance to buy these handsome fabrics as cheap as you may tomorrow. The list follows:"

25c FANCY PINAMAS
25c GOLF SUITINGS
25c MERCERIZED SATENS
25c FANCY BATISTE
25c WHITE SWISSES
35c MERCERIZED FOULARDS
25c PLAIN VOILES

All 14c

Bargains in Children's Wear

Children's \$1.50 White Dresses for 98c

Boys' \$2.50 "Knicker" Suits for \$1.98

OUR MANAGER SAYS: "My department is one of the most interesting bargain spots in the store. It's one of the busiest, too. Mothers are not overlooking the pretty things for little people that I am selling at reduced prices. Here are two of my specials for tomorrow. I have scores of others that are equally attractive."

CHILDREN'S WHITE DRESSES for little girls of 2 to 6 years of age. Made in the popular Russian and French styles, from fine lawns and linens. Some are trimmed with laces—others with embroideries. Regular price \$1.50 each—now.....**98c**

BOYS' KNICKERBOCKER SUITS for little shavers of 2, 3, 4 and 5 years. Made from linens and piques and neatly trimmed with finishing braids, stitching or embroideries. Regular price \$2.50—now reduced for the Department Manager's Sale to.....**\$1.98**

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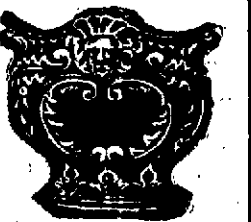
25c Ribbons for 12 1/2c

OUR Manager says—"These Ribbons are all pure silk. They come in a great variety of handsome checks, stripes and Dresden effects. They usually sell at 25c a yard. At 12 1/2c—just half price—they ought to go like 'hot cakes.' Here are two other extra good bargains."

ODD LOTS OF RIBBONS—That is, odd shades of odd brands—in plain satin and gros grain, double-faced satin and all silk pique edge. Nos. 5, 7 and 9. Worth 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c a yard—your choice tomorrow.....**5c**

"KAHN'S SPECIAL" WASH TAFETA RIBBON—All pure silk—full 3 inches wide—all colors and black—sold at all other times at 15c a yard, and a very strong value for that money—now on sale at.....**10c**

English Art Flower Pots



Our Manager says—"This positively sensational value is for Monday and Tuesday only. The Flower Pots are of extra hard English earthenware. They are handily made of medium size and a beautiful shaded green in color. Never before have Flower Pots of equal quality been sold at.....**25c**

ROOSEVELT STANDS FOR EQUAL OPPORTUNITY

ASSERTS THAT CABRERA
CRUELY LASHED WOMEN

Terrible Conditions Now Existing in Guatemala

NEW YORK, July 11.—Chester C. Mercurio, son-in-law of J. D. Gomez, a Nicaraguan, and a relative of the Nicaraguan President, has replied sharply at an interview by Dr. T. de Herrarte, the Guatemalan Minister to the United States.

Conditions in Guatemala are appalling, he asserts. Women and children are being lashed and imprisoned, while young girls of well known families are being subjected to indignities by executive decree.

Mr. Mercurio says that officials of foreign governments are secretly investigating conditions in Guatemala in order to make a general protest. Estrada Cabrera, he asserts, is concentrating his rule only by force of power. No word is permitted to be spoken against his actions, he says, while newspapers which contain statements by diplomats not favorable to President Cabrera are confiscated and not permitted to reach the people.

DESCRIBES CONDITIONS. The New York Herald, Mr. Mercurio, who was recently appointed consul to Nicaragua, but did not take his post, says:

"Never in my fifteen years' experience in Central and South American countries have I been brought face to face with such terrible conditions, or witnessed such outrages as exist in Guatemala.

"Upon my arrival there in June, 1907, I was informed as to prevailing conditions, but, hardened as I am after so many years of travel in the Latin American republics and accustomed as I have become to see personal rights trampled on and ignored, I must confess I was not prepared for what I had to witness later on.

"It was brought to me from native and foreign sources alike that in Guatemala there is no personal liberty or sense of justice.

"Recently, while going through the streets to visit the Minister of Agriculture, I was, together with a friend of mine, arrested and taken to the San Francisco prison. Through the efforts of my wife, who went to the American Minister, I was released after a few hours' detention.

"I witnessed the incarceration of more than fifty of the best people of the capital of Guatemala, including the Herreras, the Samoyles, the Vitoris, the Asturias, the very best blood of old Guatemala, because they let it be

known that Estrada Cabrera is of plebeian origin.

MANY ARE WHIPPED.

"These so-called political prisoners were kept confined forty days many of them whipped and many of them having to pay exorbitant fines, not for the release, but simply to be able to secure food from their homes. Notaries who were arrested had their protocols confiscated, which up to recently had not been returned to them.

"Conditions in Guatemala have been pitiful in the extreme. Nearly every man of any importance who was not an 'out and out' adherent of Estrada Cabrera has been in the penitentiary. Women were also confined there by the score.

"The reports of outrages that reached the outside of that institution were something to drive a free born American to the commission of almost any act.

"I personally know of six men who were whipped—men of wealth, standing and education. I personally know of a boy, sixteen years old, who was given fifty lashes. I personally know of two young girls, bearing the name of one of the most ancient and honored families of Guatemala, who were made prisoners and confined in the house of detention designed for disorderly women.

AFRAID TO STATE FACTS.

"Americans with financial interests in that country are afraid to state the real facts of the case, because they know that if they express themselves adversely to Estrada Cabrera he will punish them in some way.

"The talk of there being a court of justice in Guatemala is a dream. There is only one court in Guatemala, and that court is Estrada Cabrera. He is the head of the three so-called branches of the government, executive, legal and judicial, but in one word, there is no government only Estrada Cabrera. He is mightier than the Czar of Russia because of the fact that in Russia there is some one who dares to oppose him, while in Guatemala the people have become so cowed on account of his oppression that no one dares to uplift a voice.

"A year ago the exact conditions of affairs in one of the countries almost at our border was not known here in Washington, but gradually it is becoming known and in all probability it cannot continue much longer."

SHUT DOWN
ALASKAN
ROADLine From Seward to Tanana
River Thrown in Hands of
Receiver by Dissatisfied
Stockholders.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Upon the complaint of John P. Bouldine, a stockholder, who alleged that the road was insolvent, and unable to continue its construction work on its contemplated line from Seward to Tanana River, Alaska, Judge Holt of the Alaska District Court appointed a receiver yesterday for the Alaska Central Railway Company, which is controlled virtually by Augustus Helms and a few associates. Mr. Bouldine, the complainant, who threw the road into bankruptcy, was one of the original promoters and held twenty thousand shares of the company's common stock, of which only forty thousand shares are outstanding.

TO MAKE FORECLOSURE.

Albert C. Frost of Chicago, the president of the road, said yesterday that the property probably would be foreclosed and reorganized. "We have put into the property in actual cash an amount equivalent to \$3,500,000 of first mortgage 5 per cent bonds now issued. The property was progressing nicely and was passed upon favorably by engineers of the highest standing. It never should have become insolvent."

MORTGAGE BOND.

"The company had an authorized first mortgage bond issue of \$30,000,000, but of this amount only \$3,500,000 was outstanding. There were \$3,500,000 of these bonds due in 1933, and of these, except \$28,000 had been deposited with the trustees, the Western Trust and Savings Bank of Chicago.

"There also were \$4,000,000 of these bonds, of which \$1,250,000 was deposited with the trustees. The outstanding bond issue of \$3,500,000 was put out to supply the funds needed to construct and equip the first forty-six miles of road and for labor and material up to March 31, 1906. The residue was to be issued for completing and equipping the road, including the branches.

BACKERS OF CONCERN.

In addition to Mr. Helms and Mr. Frost, the company's directors included George A. Bulk of Muncie, Ind.; Frank Brown of Seattle, Wash.; G. Francis of Toronto, James Haight and James A. Moore of Seattle, Henry C. Osborne, vice-president, Mr. Wright, secretary.

The company was incorporated under the laws of the State of Washington on March 1, 1902. Its main offices were in the Tenny building in Seattle, but its executive offices were at No. 103 La Salle street, Chicago.

**DEATH COMES
AFTER HIS
WEDDING**

Relatives of Man Who Had
\$40,000 Seek to Annul His
Marriage, Charging Bride
Was Shrewd Schemer.

CHICAGO, July 11.—Annulment of a marriage that no longer exists is sought in a bill filed in the Circuit Court last evening by heirs of the late Frederick Schram, eighty-two years of age, who is alleged to have been "broken, old, decrepit and insane."

Word had been received from Dr. Cook last evening that the bride, Elizabeth Feltz, twenty-four years of age, of fair features, calculating, scheming and shrewd intellect.

Following the marriage, property worth \$40,000, it is charged, passed into the control of the woman whom the heirs have made defendant in the suit.

Another action to have the will declared null and void is pending in the Circuit Court.

In November, 1905, it is asserted, the woman was employed as a servant at a work to care for the old man's home at 388 North Ashland avenue.

December 27 she persuaded him to marry her secretly, it is charged.

Ninety days later he died of apoplexy. On entering the Schram home it is averred, the woman began to exercise a system of fraudulent practices with a view to obtaining his property. He was possessed of an "insane delusion" that he had become rejuvenated and, it is declared, the defendant encouraged this belief and finally married him.

**EEL RIVER POWER WILL
SOON BE IN SANTA ROSA**

SANTA ROSA, July 11.—It is announced that the engineers in charge that electricity from the great generating plant upon Eel River in Mendocino county will reach Santa Rosa on August 1st. The contract calls for it to be here by August 10th. The dam is located on Eel river.

SHERIFF MOVES THAW FROM HIS
LUXURIOUS QUARTERS IN THE JAILStern Guardian Places Ward In
Steel-Barred Corridor;
Prisoner Cheerful.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 11.—Since the return of Sheriff Bob Chanler from Europe Harry K. Thaw's quarters in the Dutchess county jail, over which Sheriff Chanler presides, have been changed.

From the large, light and handsomely furnished room of the Sheriff, which Harry occupied while his habeas corpus proceedings were pending before Justice Morschauer, the Pittsburgh millionaire has been moved to a steel-barred corridor which is in every way suggestive of prison. Here he sleeps and eats the meals sent him from the hotel, a far more liberal diet than that to which he was restricted during his three months at Mattawan.

This is one of the principal reasons why Thaw prefers jail imprisonment to life in the criminal asylum.

In the day time Thaw is allowed to make use of the jail hospital, where he reads the newspapers, magazines and books and writes on his typewriter, the operating of which he has learned since his incarceration at Poughkeepsie.

He carries on a correspondence with his relatives and many friends. He is cheerful and patient and looks hopefully toward the hearing before Justice Mills at White Plains on July 13, which is to decide whether or not he is to have a jury pass on his sanity. Thaw is well liked by the keepers in the Poughkeepsie jail, and he visits with them by the hour.

He was not averse to being transferred to the prison part of the building.

"Put me in a cell; it will be all right," he said, and Jailer Havens set up a bed for Thaw in the corridor.

**M'GARREN MEETS
WITH A SETBACK**

Supreme Court Denies the New
York Politician a Writ of
Mandamus.

NEW YORK, July 11.—State Senator McGarren's application for a peremptory writ of mandamus compelling the Board of Elections to be denied today by the Supreme Court Justice Kelly.

McGarren was chairman of the executive committee of the Democratic party in this city, and was charged with the theft of a bicycle, but on a promise to reform he was put on probation and turned over to the Boys' and Girls' Aid Society. Recently he was caught attempting to steal the horses and rigs and again brought to justice.

Broton's attorney was not present to defend him, so the case was put over until tomorrow. At Whelan voluntarily conducted the accused boy's case yesterday.

Also Feld, an Austrian youth, yesterday in Judge Dunne's court pleaded guilty to receiving stolen property and was put on probation, with H. U. Brandstein named as officer.

**HEALTH BOARD PUTS BAN
ON ALL CREAM COMPANIES**

Unsanitary Conditions Found to
Exist Where Confections
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The cemetery is seven miles from Oyster Bay. The President went there in an automobile from Sagamore Hill. In his remarks the President said:

"It is with great pleasure I was able to accept the invitation here today, because I thought it was a good thing to erect a monument to the founder of such a distinctive American family. I shall not try to speak of Colonel Underhill's career.

LEFT HIS MARK.

He left his mark, not only on New Amsterdam, but upon New England. I have known many Underhills in my life and have found them always ready, in peace or in war.

"I believe in the pride of ancestry, but only if it makes a man or woman today try unceasingly to live up to the old standard. It is this trying to live rightly that has made the country what it is today. If you had good ancestors, it is doubly incumbent upon you to do things yourself. There is one lesson which Americans need always to keep before them—that is the substantial unity of our people. That is one value of family gatherings such as this today.

AMERICAN DOCTRINE.

"In the Underhill family you will find men in all walks of life. It is an essential point with us that each member of this family is entitled to our fullest respect in his individual line. That is sound American doctrine. I should not have come here today if it were only a meeting of the capitalists.

Underhill. I should not have come here if it were simply a meeting of the laboring members of the family.

"I am glad to come because all the members meet on the ground of common decency and honor. This fact has made the country what it is. Here we all have the equality of opportunity. This is entirely different from equality of reward.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY.

"I believe in doing all possible to keep alive equality of opportunity for each man. As to the man's reward, let each man get for himself by his thrift or courage just as much as he can. Properly in this country we don't believe in special privileges.

SOCIALIST THEORY.

"Some of our Socialist friends and Socialistic writers make a tremendous mistake in this respect. Their theory of a common fund out of which each person may take what he chooses is a gross example of the worst kind of privilege.

"Such an ideal as theirs is an example of special privilege in its most unjust form. I am for equality of opportunity; for that, I will do all I can; for equality of reward, no, unless the service rendered is equal.

"For a long time to come it is manifest it will be impossible for the men of America to produce equality of service. Until such a time comes we must have in this country inequality of reward.

"Now, I have preached quite a little sermon. Good luck and good-bye."

The President returned to Oyster Bay.

GATLINGS TO
KEEP THE
PEACEU. S. Cavalrymen Start From
Flagstaff to Quiet Indians
In the Navajo Reservation.

FLAGSTAFF, ARIZ., July 11.—Five more troops of the Fifth United States cavalry have been sent to the Navajo reservation under Colonel Hunter, who will go north to the Chin Lee country. Various rumors are prevalent relative to what their purpose is but that this is no pleasure trip is indicated by the fact that a battery of Gatling guns and force for a two months' campaign has taken along.

A year ago troops were ordered to return after penetrating the country half way to Chin Lee. The Indians became hostile and several were killed. Since then trouble has arisen over the water rights between Indians and stockmen on a range adjoining the reservation on the south.

The Indians are reported heavily armed and excited over the proposed allotments and are apparently on the verge of an uprising. It is thought a display of armed force is being made to prevent an outbreak.

HEAVILY ARMED.

EL PASO, July 11.—Several hundred Navajo Indians in Northwestern New Mexico are armed heavily and prepared to leave their reservation and resist efforts to return them.

The Indians have been sullen and mean for many months. Several have been arrested and fined for slaughtering game out of season, and others for cutting fence posts from forest reserves without permission. Then came the order that no Indian buck should have more than one wife, and the government began to cut up their lands to apportion them out to the Indians as individuals preparatory to ceasing its paternal care of the aborigines so far as feeding and clothing them is concerned.

POISON WATER.

This was too much and the redskins began leaving the reservation, killing cattle, poisoning water holes and doing other mischief. Five troops of cavalry have been sent after them with one Maxim gun, according to reports wired here today. The Maxim gun was taken from Fort Huachuca in Arizona, with the troop of cavalry from there. Two troops went from Fort Wingate, one from Fort Apache, and one from Whipple Barracks.

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SENDS WORD
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NORTHArctic Explorer Cook Writes to
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the North Pole.

NEW YORK, July 11.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, the explorer, who is trying to reach the north pole by a new route through Nansen Strait and whose friends were fearful that he had met disaster in the frozen north, has been heard from. A letter written by the explorer last December was received today by his wife who is living in Brooklyn, stating that he hoped to start for his goal in January.

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FRENCH SAY PLATFORMS
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Only Temperamental Difference Between Taft and Bryan

PARIS, July 11.—The Temps this afternoon says it thinks the deliberations at the Democratic convention prove that Bryan is again in complete control of the Democracy. After saying that the war declared by the Democracy against the trusts is manifestly contrary to ancient Democratic tradition while hostile to the extension of the Federal power the paper concludes its article with these words:

"Both parties have taken up the same battle cry and a characteristic of the present campaign is the similarity of the programs of the opposing forces. There is practically no difference between them and there is only a temperamental difference between the two men, Taft and Bryan, one of whom will be selected to apply them."

POPULAR TIDE.

The Temps thinks it is too early to predict the results that the popular tide must be first aligned.

The Journal Des Debates takes a similar view of what it calls the identity of the two platforms.

"The contest under way," this paper says, "and under these conditions is largely a question of the personality of candidates. Mr. Taft's final victory, however, seems

WESTERN PACIFIC WILL SOON BE IN OPERATION

THIRD ROAD IS NOW HERE

Western Pacific To Have Trains Running Into Oakland by the End of Next Month.

Railroad news that is encouraging to the real estate men, home-owners and manufacturer was announced this week when the Western Pacific said trains will be running into Oakland by the end of next month. One of the big Southern Pacific ferry-boats has been chartered to handle the traffic across the bay until the Gould line gets some of its own steamers in commission. Hundreds of laborers are at work rushing the completion of the tracks to the western water front of Oakland.

An entire right of way has been given the railroad. This last week witnessed the end of the contamination proceedings which have dragged along in the Superior Courts of several counties for the past few years. There is no obstacle in the way of the Gould line to construction along Third street by the end of August.

What the third transcontinental railroad will do for the property of the county is not questioned. More men will be given employment of this Western terminus and new homes and factories will go up all along its route.

MAKE FACTORY SITES. While the Western Pacific takes in much of its same territory as the Southern Pacific in coming into Oakland from the San Joaquin valley, it will open a new field of industry where the tracks of the Hartman line are too remote. The new line will save many long hauls for farmers and make what is now idle property spring up into real live commercial factory sites.

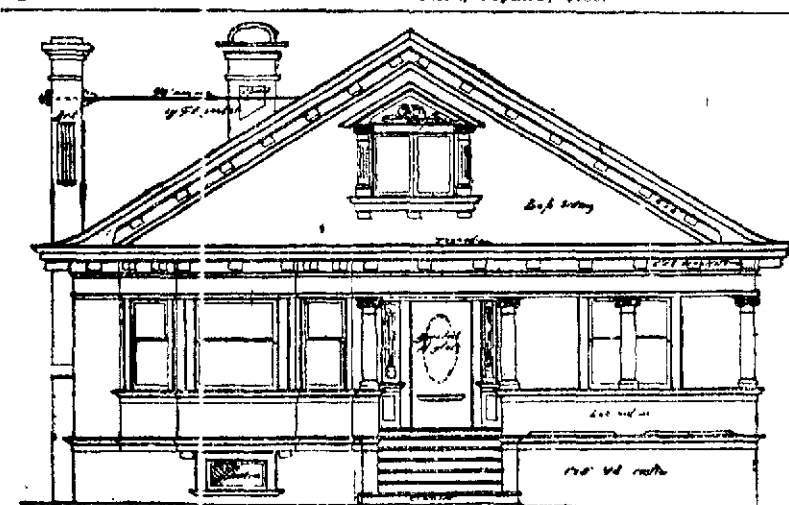
All along the south end of Oakland real estate is increasing in value with the advent of the Western Pacific. The new road will pass through a rich section of Alameda county's agricultural country, where a large quantity of products and fruit is daily exported during the season.

The large tracts of land outside of Oakland, where many new homes are springing up, will be the future factories. Factories can obtain sites in this portion of the county at a nominal rate per acre and at the same time have the best of railroad facilities. There will be no difficulty in it being sold to obtain sites from the new Western Pacific line to desirable manufacturing locations within reasonable distances of the main tracks.

THIRD-STREET TRACKS. The Western Pacific rails along Third street in this city, over which the passenger traffic will be handled, have been in for some time. The tracks between the eastern outskirts of Oakland and the western end of the line now completed is finished large canals of track work will hurry the trucks along to the mole on the water front.

The coming of the Western Pacific to Oakland and passing out on the mole to the ferry line across the bay does not mean that Oakland will be only a way station. Alameda county will receive larger benefits from the new road than any other county in the State. The sure handling of the train service will be done on this side of the bay. That means a large increase in population. Railroad men must bring their families to Oakland, which will be the end of their run.

WEST OAKLAND SHOPS. Efforts are being made by West Oaklanders to have the Western Pacific shops in that part of the city. The fact that a site has already been given the road in Sacramento, there must be a large working force employed at the Western terminus as soon as the shops are an absolute necessity in Oakland. This is proven in the fact that the Southern Pacific maintains large car shops at Oakland as well as Sacramento. There need be no more any railroad men that Oakland will be overlooked when it comes to erecting headquarters for the repair of the Gould line's rolling stock.



ONE-STORY COTTAGE TO BE BUILT BY H. C. AUSTIN ON THIRTEENTH AVENUE AT COST OF \$2400. A. V. ALDER ARCHITECT.

WEEK'S RECORD OF BUILDING PERMITS SHOWS NO DEARTH IN THE NUMBER OF RESIDENCES BEING CONSTRUCTED IN OAKLAND

Summary of building permits applied for at the Board of Public Works for the week ending Wednesday July 9, compiled by Walter B. Lawcott, secretary.

REPORT BY WARDS.	Number of Permits.	Amounts.
First ward	19	\$22,574
Second ward	4	5,675
Third ward	4	16,710
Fourth ward	1	100
Fifth ward	13	31,575
Sixth ward	2	345
Seventh ward	1	16,667
Totals	59	\$92,726

BUILDING PERMITS.

R. C. Woodburn, one-story 5-room dwelling, west side of James street, 75 feet south of Hudson street; \$500.

C. A. Hoffman, one-story 5-room cottage, west side of Marshall street, 275 feet south of Fifty-ninth street; \$450.

Charles W. Flett, alterations, 1007 Broadway; \$2000.

TOWN VALUES SHOW LARGER INCREASE THAN COUNTY

Berkeley Assessment Is Given \$1,000,000 Increase by City and \$10,000 by the County.

BERKELEY, July 11.—The fact that there has been not quite \$10,000 increase in the Berkeley assessment for the past year, according to the figures of the County Assessor, is not to be construed, say the realty men, that there has been any decrease in values. They declare that values last year were abnormally low and that the Assessor has only given the town an opportunity to catch up with his figures and estimates. On the other hand, the town assessor announces that his figures will show an increase of at least \$1,000,000 over last year. As the income from increased valuation, according to this showing, will belong to the town, the property owners are not at all displeased over the showing being made in valuations.

The report of the town assessor shows that there is about \$240,000 lying in the vaults of the local banks belonging to the various funds and the proceeds from bond issues. The town assessor is expected to be all spent within a short time, as a number of costly improvements are under way.

\$500,000 BEING SPENT. With at least \$500,000 worth of private capital now being spent in buildings, it will be seen that the mid-summer showing is good.

The building permit figures for last month show that \$250,000 worth of new buildings are planned. This figure is only exceeded by the total of one other month in the past year.

Since the construction on the new Town Hall was just begun, there has been an increase in the construction. Within a few weeks the entire concrete portion of the work will be completed and the structure ready for the putting of the interior fixtures and finishes. (The town officials believe that they will be housed in their new home within ten months.)

FINISHING GRADING. The work of grading that portion of the new road known as the Stanford place is nearing completion. Both the Key Route and the Traction Company rails have been moved and adjusted to the new grade and to add to the attractiveness of the completed avenue, the Southern Pacific has given rush orders to finish the grading of the plaza about the new depot and the ornamentation of the walks and square to the south, adjoining the Center-street line.

The work on the new Berkeley National Bank building is proceeding with much speed. Already the lower walls are up to the third floor of the steel frame, and another month is expected to see the huge structure inclosed. The bank people have given orders to the work, as they wish to occupy the premises by November 1st, even if the upper floors are still not quite completed.

The school department is planning to overhaul many of the buildings in time for the opening of the new term. The McKinley building will be equipped with a new heating apparatus and otherwise repaired, and the high school will be renovated and cleaned. Similar work will be done on all the other buildings.

BUILDING PERMITS. The building permits for the week are: C. H. Otter, Acton and Addison streets, four rooms; \$2000.

Walter Peterson, Belvedere and Virginia, two rooms; \$1500.

W. E. Corby, Brina and Dwight way, five rooms; \$1500.

Mrs. A. M. Whitney, Euclid avenue and Hawthorne, repairs; \$350.

John Rose, Leroy and Vine, six rooms; \$2150.

John T. Barthel, Farlee and San Pablo, four rooms; \$1150.

W. G. Gardner, Bruce and Alston, repairs; \$300.

Walter Chowen, Uplands, six rooms; \$3200.

Theriot Nelson, Stuart and Grove, repairs; \$200.

S. Jorgenson, Fourth and Channing, seven rooms; \$1500.

C. A. Pinkerton, 2423 Stuart, five rooms; \$2100.

George Steinhil, Delaware and Curtis, five rooms; \$1900.

W. C. Le Conte and Hearst, eight rooms; \$1600.

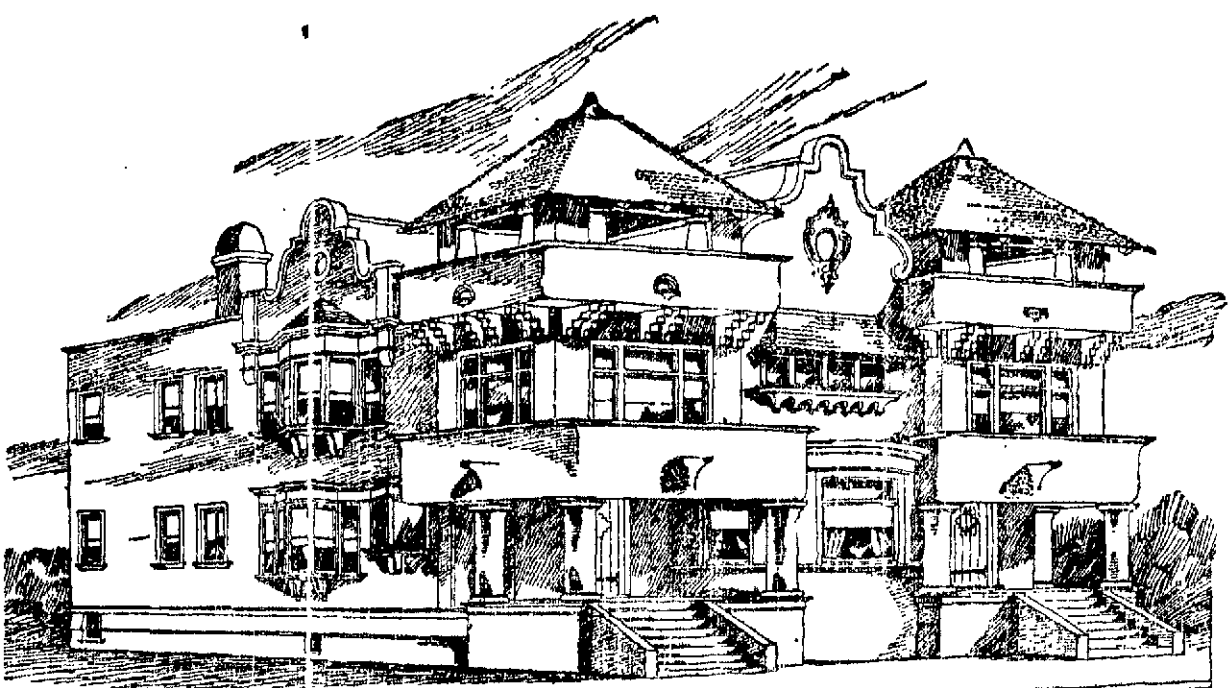
Mrs. E. Olliphant, Grant and Russell, repairs; \$400.

C. O. Schnoor, California and Todd, nine rooms; \$2500.

H. E. Steinhil, 2418 Durant, repairs; \$900.

Thomas Smythe, Fulton and Sixty-third, repairs; \$150.

WELL-DESIGNED MISSION FLATS ARE BEING ERECTED IN CITY OF BERKELEY



Some modern flats are now in course of construction on Ellsworth street near Telegraph avenue, Berkeley, for Mrs. B. V. Leveing. The exterior is adapted Mission style, while the interiors are fitted up after the latest Eastern suggestions, including specially planned



DOUBLE FLAT IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION FOR C. A. YOUNG ON FOURTH AVENUE.

BUILDING HOME TO COST \$10,000 ASSESSMENT ROLL SURPRISED MANY

Stone Orchard Tract Site of a Wealthy Easterner's Palatial Residence.

One of the rapidly selling suburban tracts is that of Stone Orchard, situated on the line beyond Elmhurst. David T. Wood of the Mutual Realty Company, which has the tract on the market, said yesterday: "I am yet to locate a place of property in this vicinity which is being sought for as rapidly as the Stone Orchard tract. It is an ideal site for home and now houses are being built rapidly."

E. F. B. Johnson, an Eastern capitalist, is erecting a \$10,000 residence on the heart of this tract. Lumber is on the ground now for the building, and in a few months Johnson expects to move in.

DRAWNS PLANS FOR COTTAGE

Architect Alder Prepares Drawings for Cosy Dwelling to Be Built by H. C. Austin

Architect A. V. Alder has prepared plans for a one-story cottage for H. C. Austin to be built on the west side of Thirteenth avenue, 150 feet north of East Thirtieth street. The dwelling will have a cozy interior. The ceilings will be beamed and the walls will be wood paneled. A mantel piece of special design will be installed in the dining room. The house will be built first-class in every respect at a cost of \$2400.

A concrete wall three feet high will be built in front to the property and cement walks will run around the house. Builders say Austin will have one of the prettiest cottages in East Oakland when the building is completed.

FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE. R. C. Woodburn, one-story 5-room cottage, west side of Harmon Court, 350 feet north of Alcatraz avenue; \$1800.

M. K. Geary, alterations, 500 Fifty-eighth street; \$500.

E. W. Nelson, one-story 5-room bungalow, south side of Arlington avenue, 315 feet west of Adeline street; \$2000.

N. O. Truax, alterations, 10-6 Broadway; \$200.

R. M. Roma, one-story store, east side of Grove street, 60 feet north of Fortieth street; \$80.

ALAMEDA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE SENDS OUT LETTERS URGING THAT HOTEL BE BUILT IN ENCINAL CITY

Really Dealers in City Across the Estuary Are Optimistic

ALAMEDA, July 11.—A number of letters have been sent out by Secretary Russell of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce to persons interested in the erection of a hotel in Encinal city. Russell urges that such a hotel is greatly needed by Alameda, and will be even more necessary in the future.

It has already interested many Alamedans in the project to erect a new hotel for tourists and others, because I have every reason to believe that it would pay," said Secretary Russell yesterday. "I believe that Alameda will soon have need of such a hotel, and it is rapidly coming to the attention of people all over the country, and it is demanded to meet accommodations rapidly increasing."

"With the advent of the Southern Pacific electric system and the development of the Alameda water front, Alameda is bound to become more prosperous and this will make Alameda a center of the South. The Southern Pacific has announced that it intends to make Alameda a point of interest on its 'Road of a Thousand Wonders.' Besides this, Alameda will be the only large center of the South. It is plain to see that the increasing activity in Alameda and the number of tourists who come through Alameda make further accommodations necessary."

Although the project has not progressed so far as the selection of a site, there are several excellent locations available in Alameda. Of the most important is the location at the foot of Webster, at the foot of Grand and at the corner of Grand and Alameda.

There has never been a time when the outlook for business was better in Alameda than it is now. All merchants agree that their business is expanding. Inquiry for real estate investments has been one of the notable features for a week, especially near the retail center. There is evidence of a commercial growth which will soon place Alameda far ahead of her present condition. The healthy condition of business of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce is the very best indication that business is good.

L. W. McGuffin, a conservative real estate dealer, is very enthusiastic over the development of Alameda. He is the owner of the main lands bordering the Oakland harbor, which consists of over seven hundred acres, for commercial purposes. He is most anxious to see the development of the whole city. This land has been a busy scene of activity. It is the year that ever before and the city in the way of taxes, which will not only reduce the rates throughout the city, it will also add to our population.

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The best of all teachers is experience. C. M. Harden, of Silver City, North Carolina, says: "I find Electric Bitter a most excellent medicine. For Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles it can't be beat. I have tried it and find it a most excellent medicine. Mr. Harden is right. It's the best of all medicines also for weakness, lame back, and all other ailments. Sold under guarantee at Osgood Bros' drug store, 50c.



DRAWING OF \$10,000 HOME TO BE BUILT BY J. ROHAN ON ADAMS POINT. A. W. SMITH ARCHITECT.

ROHAN TO HAVE LAKESIDE HOME

Oakland Coal Dealer Plans to Build \$10,000 Dwelling on Adams Point Property.

One of the most handsome dwellings yet to be built on Adams Point will be for John Rohan. The plans are now being prepared by Architect A. W. Smith.

Rohan, who is a prosperous coal dealer of Oakland and popular in civic and political affairs of the city, will spend \$10,000 in his palatial home overlooking Lake Merritt. The house will be two stories, with high basement of brick. There will be nine large rooms and two baths. The front of the house will be graced with a fine brick chimney, and the outside, and the entrance will be from the side. Large windows will face the south to catch the afternoon sun.

COMING FALL HAS BRIGHT OUTLOOK

George Austin Makes Several Sales and Predicts Encouraging Future.

"People are commencing to show a tendency to invest their money in real estate and use their savings on good real estate loans," said George W. Austin, the well-known Broadway realty dealer, yesterday. "I have made the following sale through my office during the past couple of weeks: A house and lot on Orin street, Fruitvale, for John Fox to E. N. Huntington; a house and lot on Eighteenth street and Castro street, for Mary Van Pelt to E. N. Huntington; a house and lot on Groun street near Fifty-third street for G. F. Shriver to Helen W. Marston; house and lot on Glen and Helen in Piedmont, for C. A. Bille to William De Pons; a house and lot on Ninth and Chestnut streets for E. Van Vankin to L. J. Goldwater; lot on the corner of Bassett and Twelfth streets, Fruitvale, for Sonnenberg to E. F. Sanders; house and lot on Tenth avenue, near East Twenty-third street, for G. E. Tuman to Vernon Franklin; lot on East Twenty-third street, near Tenth avenue, for C. H. May to G. J. Gilbert; pair of flats on Apper street, J. P. Berckert to B. B. Bird; lot on Broadway near Edith street, for Mary Gerhardt to J. McCullen.

In addition to this we have closed a number of loans and ever of good and greater activity in the realty market during the coming fall than at any time since the beginning of the year."

FLATS AND STORES. Mrs. Dora Meese, two-story 3 flats and 3 stores west side of Market street, 75 feet south of Fourteenth; \$15,400.

M. J. Lieb, general repairs, 1209 Adeline street; \$200.

Charles Schlein, one-story 2-room barn, east side of Dana street, 300 feet south of Wolsey street; \$400.

Knights of Pythias Hall Association, repairs, southeast corner of Twelfth and Alice streets; \$300.

Mrs. T. Roach, repairs, 1830 West street; \$70.

Peter Mondot, barn alterations, 820 Twelfth street; \$200.

P. Provenal, addition, 1395 Hopkins street; \$30.

H. M. Freshman, one-story 6-room dwelling west side of Duncan street, 60 feet west of Spring street; \$1900.

Margaret M. Ludlow, one-story 3-room dwelling, northwest corner of Twenty-first and West streets; \$750.

REAL ESTATE.

M. T. MINNEY
1259 BROADWAY, OAKLAND.
CITY DEPARTMENT.
COTTAGE SNAPS
\$1600—Fine little 4-room bungalow, in

\$1700—Garage, close to S. P. local and
near car line, good value in this.
—4500—Cash balance \$20 per month;
modern 4-room cottage, between
Alcatraz and 65th st., good location;
lot 26 1/2 x 100.
\$2100—Good 4-room cottage, on Magnolia
st.; very modern; handy to Key
Route and car line, \$700 mortgage
can stand; lot 25 1/2 x 110.
\$2200—Modern 4-room cottage, in Fruit-
vale; three months old; near car
line; a snap; lot 37 1/2 x 135.
\$2300—

\$2350--#7460 cash, balance \$25 per month, takes this 6-room cottage on 61st st., near car line. Every conceivable improvement throughout, large lot, 40x105.

\$1500—12-kan 5-room bungalow, between Telegraph and Grove st.; one block from Key Route; nearly new; ready for occupancy.
 \$9000—New cottage of 5 rooms, on 51st st., near Grove; fine neighborhood; handy to Key Route; owner anxious to sell.
 \$4500—Beautiful 3-room bungalow, on Terrace st.; brand new; very artistic; one block from street car; handy to Key Route; elegant view of the Biscayne Gate. One-half cash will handle this; lot 40x100.
HOUSES
 \$4900—Modern home, 7 rooms and bath, in Central Oakland, between 8th and 9th sts.; two blocks from S. P. local; freshly modern and up-to-date; ready for occupancy. One-half cash will handle this; lot 40x100.

\$5000—\$2000 cash, balance on terms; fine 8-room house; one-half block from Telegraph ave., two blocks from

100.000- Route 1, a snap! lot 36x115.
 100.250- One-story bungalow, 6 room 6-
 room cottage, just off Telegraph
 ave. and close in; every conceivable
 modern improvement, fine large ca-
 sement, basement, sunny side of
 street; owner must sell. Investigate
 at once; lot 33 1-2-3-100.
 100.600- Apartment house, 7 rooms, on Perry
 st., near Oakland ave., north side of
 street, brick cement; owner must
 sell, lot 10x140.
 100.700- Elegant 12-room house, between
 14th and 16th sts., close to Market;
 very beautiful, fine grounds; reason-
 able terms, lot 48x115.
 101.000- Beautiful Telegraph ave. corner
 location, 8 large rooms, all sunny;
 modern, fine grounds, reasonable

\$31,000 - Beautiful Moss av. corner residence, 8 large rooms and den; two blocks from street car; close to Kay House; hardwood floors throughout; beautiful grounds, driveway and garage; an ideal home; large lot.

FLATS

33250—Rents \$40; two nice 4-room flats in East Oakland, good neighborhood, close to school, bus and shopping; a positive sacrifice; \$800 cash will handle these; lot 40x126.
 35600—Rents \$50; modern flats, 6 rooms each, on a fine line in East Oakland; always rented.
 36000—Rents \$35; flats of 2, 4 and 5 rooms, on Grove St., near Key Route; a sacrifice.
 37550—Rents \$66; new flats, 5 and 6 rooms, with 2-room bungalow on

rear of lot; strictly modern throughout; near Idora Park; in fine renting district; owner must sell and will sacrifice at this ridiculously low price; lot 40x155.
\$10,000—Rents \$100; elegant flats of 7 rooms each on Madison st., near 8th, positively the best built flats

in Oakland; lot 374x100.

LOTS

\$525.- Lot 26x140; on East 26th st., near 13th ave., a snap.

\$1000.- Lot 26x100, on 20th st., near Myrtle; the lot is 200 ft. wide.

\$1900.- Lot 30x104; on Alcastraz ave., near Telegraph ave.; level lot; street work done; good value.

\$1150.- Lot 40x100, on 16th st., near Grove; a positive sacrifice.

\$1200.- Lot 25x230; on Oakland ave., near Ven-on st.; good location for a cottage.

\$125.- Lot 40x103; on Pointer st., near Shattuck.

\$7500.- Lot 40x100; on Nauler st.; good for carriage or flat.

\$2000.- Lot 40x100; on high ground, in choicest part of Adams Point.

2100—Lot 50x207, Handwick st., near
Piedmont ave.; reduced for quick
sale.
2100—Lot 40x120; on Adams st.; sunny
side fine site for good home.
22350—Lot 50x130; Adams Point, close to
car line; a snap at this low price.
\$40 per foot—Walsworth ave.; near car

Their only number of feet ~~near~~
12000 - Lot 10 north side of 58th st.
near Grove; positively the cheapest
lot in that section.

Cheap Cottage
Seven rooms and bath, electric lights;
treat work done; lot 45x100; price \$1500.
\$500 cash, balance easy payments. (31)

\$250 Down
and balance easy payments will buy a
4-room cottage; lot 25x100; near car ac-
cess on Watts st. (31)

A Nice Home

Two-story house, 7 rooms; near 30th and Linden; all modern; done off in panel work; good barn; lot 50x110; price \$5000; c.m.s. (30)

Corner Cottage

On 30th st.; high basement; modern;
street work done; lot 29x130; price \$2800;
500 cash. (30)

A Bargain

House, 3 rooms, suitable for two fam-
ilies, 43d st.; corner lot 50x128; price
2600; \$700 cash, balance easy payments.
(31)

JOHNSON & CARROLL

San Pablo ave. and 40th st.
Phone Piedmont 8

A Splendid Home

\$5,600—A two-story, 8-room residence:

modern conveniences; high basement; brick foundation; cement driveway and back yard; fine large barn, with cement floor; lot 37½ x 160; on 8th st., one block from Market at station; 10 minutes' walk to center of Oakland; terms if desired.

PAIR OF NEW FLATS.

5000—5 rooms and bath in each; modern throughout; now rented for \$62.50 monthly; 30-foot lot, barn in rear; walking distance from city hall, &

blocks to Key Route station.
Lloyd & Stein
458 NINTH ST.

TIENESE ARIE SELECT BARGAINS:
2000—Modern 5-room cottage, convenient to Key Route and street cars; only \$500 cash, the rest like rent. No. 397.
2750—Modern 6-room cottage with two rooms for housekeeping; rent \$12; ban galow in rear rents \$6; you can occupy or rent 4 front rooms for \$16; paneled walls; excavated basement; deep lot; \$1000 mortgage can remain. No. 205.
2850—Modern, artistic, 6-room cottage;

head ceilings, beautifully appointed, blended tint; driveway; convenient Key Route; lot 40x107; \$850 cash, balance like rent. No. 826.

LOTS. LOTS. LOTS.
Builders and Investors, Notice.
 1000 ft. front, 100 ft. depth. 45th

so A PRIZE—\$2000.00. Size 1000
east of Telegraph Ave., includes street
work and sidewalk; bargain for cash.
Offer lets on terms. No. 305.
RICHARD J. MONTGOMERY,
Real Estate Dealer,
Corner 70th St. and Telegraph Ave.,
Oakland.

large lot, 50x100, alone worth the price asked.
ATTENTION, 1912 Broadway.

Medical device. The jury evidently took that view of it, and the men were found not guilty.

WHAT CLUB WOMEN ARE DOING

(By FLORENCE B. LANGWORTHY.)
The convention of the National Federation of Women's Clubs which has just been held in Boston was of intense interest to club-women over the entire world. The election which took place the day before the closing of the session resulted in a satisfactory manner for all.

Mrs. Sara Platt Decker, the retiring president, was a woman of courage, tact and sympathy, of untiring energy and unlimited endurance, qualities necessary for one occupying so responsible a position.

The by-laws of the federation forbid that one person shall hold the position of president longer than two terms. It is not for this fact, the club women would doubtless have urged Mrs. Decker to have continued their leader.

NEW PRESIDENT VASSAR GRADUATE.

Mrs. Philip N. Moore, who has been elected president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, was born in Rockford, Illinois, and was educated at Vassar College, from which institution she was graduated in 1873. She has traveled extensively in the United States and Europe. Since her marriage she has lived in Colorado, Kentucky and Missouri.

She now resides in St. Louis and is closely identified with all the interests of the city. She has been connected with the St. Louis Training School for Deaf-mutes, is a member of the Board of Directors of the Provident Association, and she is vice-president of the Pure Milk Association and a member of the St. Louis School of Philanthropy.

Mrs. Moore is particularly interested in the higher education of women. She is one of the three alumnae trustees of Vassar College and has served three terms as president of the National Association of Collegiate Alumnae.

The new incumbent has devoted much time to federation work. She was for two years treasurer of the na-



MRS. FREDERICK JEWEL LAIRD, STATE REGENT OF D. A. R.

every day and the children look forward with so much pleasure to the daily session that their teachers are almost with the same enthusiasm. An hour is taken each day for the children to go home to lunch, but long before the time is up the children are gathered at the gate, waiting anxiously to get in.

STAFF INCREASED.

An addition has been made to the staff with the engagement of Mrs. Williams, who has recently come from the East. Mrs. Williams has the supervision of the very youngest children, and in the afternoon she instructs the older girls in the art of needlework. She also devotes a short time to singing, a feature which is especially attractive to the children, who already sing several songs with great gusto.

DRESSING DOLLS FOR INCURABLES.

Several of the girls are engaged in dressing dolls, which, when completed, are to be sent to sick children in the San Francisco hospitals.

A table has been put in the yard, upon which are magazines that the older girls enjoy. One girl is appointed monitor over this miniature library.

PICNIC AN ANTICIPATED EVENT.

Next Friday the children will be taken to East Shore Park for a day's outing.

The boys and girls take especial pride in making the yard clean when visitors are expected, and Thursday afternoon was housecleaning day for the young people, who wished to show their appreciation of the good times planned for them by the Oakland Club ladies.

CALIFORNIA CHAUTAUQUA HOLDS CONVENTION.

The California Chautauqua will open their annual convention on Tuesday, July 14, at Venice.

WOMEN'S ORGANIZATIONS CONSIDERED.

On that date the program will be devoted to the consideration of women's organizations, and a number of women prominent in club affairs will present papers. Among those who have been asked to speak are Mrs. Florence Collins Porter, Mrs. D. G. Stephens, Mrs. H. J. Waters, Miss Sophia Wright, Mrs. Egelhoff Rundell and Mrs. Caroline M. Everance, the mother of women's clubs. At the close of the day's program a reception will be given the guests of honor.

SUFFRAGE AMENDMENT LEAGUE.

The Woman's Suffrage Amendment League held its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. S. C. Borland, 844 Jones street, on Friday afternoon, when matters of importance were brought before the members. Mrs. V. M. Cleaver gave a short talk, which was heard with interest by those present.

About a dozen ladies accepted the invitation from Mill Valley League to their picnic held yesterday in the Mill Valley redwoods.

NEWS FROM AMSTERDAM CONVENTION WOMEN'S SUFFRAGE ALLIANCE.

Ide Husted Harper writes most interesting news from Amsterdam concerning the club work on the continent.

TOO MUCH WORK WITH TOO LITTLE FOOD.

English women when holding conventions have their business meetings in the morning and evening, leaving the afternoon free. Much time is given to social festivities and the continental woman complains that when visiting the United States for convention work that they are surfeited with work and famished for food. It seems that our bustling proclivities are rather strenuous to them, and it is also true that we do not give them so much to eat as they have at home. It is said that the women of all countries look more rosy and solid than the Americans. We Californians do not consider ourselves included in this category, for we pride ourselves on our young appearing women. It is true that we do not serve as many meals as they have at home, but they are quite as substantial.

OPENING RECEPTION OF GREAT BRILLIANCE.

The opening reception of the International suffrage meeting which was recently held at the Couturier, the Sherry's of Amsterdam, was given with the usual splendor of such

CAPITAL LITTLE PLAY.

A pleasing variation was a capital little play in blank verse, "The Council of the Gods," given by a party of young people from the Haguenau. Jove summons the gods and goddesses to know the reason of the terrible strife going on in the world beneath, whose noise penetrates his realm. Mercury says: "I guess, but Mr. Chairman, I'm not sure, that 'tis the ladies making all the row." In the midst of the discussion a mortal woman begs admittance, sets forth the grievances inflicted on those of her sex by man and ends: "And so, great gods, I come imploring your assistance."

Jove says: "This is, by Jove, no easy question. You, Juno, leave the floor." She answers: "'Tis not the first time that I have for Jove to solve a problem." She then moves that the woman present be asked, after which the gods and goddesses agree it is a very clever manner. Finally Juno calls for a vote; it stands five for the woman, four against, and Pluto makes it a tie, saying: "I am opposed, for if woman got the upper hand my reign would soon be over."

Juno then summons Themis, goddess of justice, who bids the woman lay her duties on one side of the scale, her rights on the other. She does so, the latter flies to the beam and Themis says: "One side is much too heavy, take something from it." The woman protests, begging that the duties be not lessened, and Themis answers: "Then must I lay more rights into the other scale." The decision pleases all and the play ends with their unanimous demand that in every country woman henceforth shall be found, choosing her own work, doing what she can, not free, nor slave, but helpmate to the man.

It is a bright little production and is to be brought to this country and adapted to our audiences.

OFFICIAL REPORTS SHOW PROGRESS.

The official reports presented by the delegates from the various nations show activity and progress. Switzerland, Bulgaria, Bohemia and South Africa come for the first time with national woman suffrage associations affiliated with the alliance.

The bills introduced by the women at the recent parliament were mostly for temperance, morality, raising the "age of consent" and reforming the marriage laws.

REPRESENTATIVES PRESENT FROM ALL COUNTRIES.

Representatives attended from every quarter of the globe, and the meetings were attended by the most eminent men of Amsterdam.

OFFICIAL REPRESENTATIVE FROM AMSTERDAM.

The government of Australia sent an official representative to this Amsterdam congress, Mrs. Henry Dobson, of Tasmania. Her husband is an influential member of the national Parliament, and has accepted an invitation to address the congress on the practical working of woman suffrage in Australia. The official reports from there and from New Zealand, with facts and figures as to the large percentage of women who vote and the effect on legislation, the state, the family and the development of character in women themselves, answer conclusively all the objections usually made to woman suffrage and refute absolutely the adverse statements as to those countries which occasionally find their way into print, unsupported except by their authors. Signed testimony is included in these reports from Governors, prime ministers, Supreme Court Judges, members of Parliament, editors—all declaring in favor of the franchise for women with a unanimity that would hardly be possible for any other measure.

SOME QUAINT EXPRESSIONS.

The delegates who came from countries where neither English, German nor French is spoken, and were obliged to make their speeches and remarks in one of these languages, often refer pathetically to their great disadvantage, which those of these favored nations fully appreciate. It was, however, impossible not to smile at the quaint form some of their expressions took, and which would be much worse on our part if we attempted to translate our ideas into their languages. "I think we will not quarrel, for we are all cultivated people, and we will avoid

explosive matter," said one.

Another wrote: "I have waited to speak to Mrs. C., and at last I have met her in the telephone." And another: "Do not tax your brain; it is the most dangerous of all." Among

other expressions were these: "The joy for victory beamed in her features"; "Praise of our meeting streamed out from the press"; "We practiced our agitation on the members of Parliament"; "She has her

hands full trying to kill Frau Schmidt," which did not indicate a very alarming intentions than to defeat her for re-election.

One, referring to a speech, said: "There were many synonyms and some

fighting inclinations in it." Another, criticizing the report of an English delegate, declared: "She made us sit at the head of Susan B. Anthony was as big as a teacup and that of Lady the size of a tub."

Jackson's furniture
exhibition sale
continues
another
week

Don't wait 'till pay-day
Buy now

You know good furniture bargains just as well as we

Compare the reduced prices on all our sample odd pieces and then judge where you can buy best

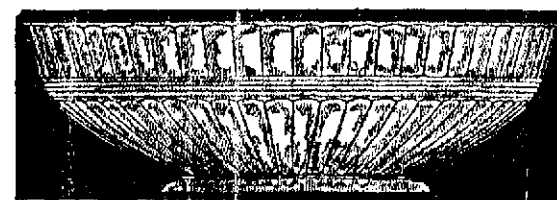
It took over 500 tags when we started this sale for the Furniture Samples alone, say nothing of the Carpets, Rugs and Lace Curtains. The sale has been in progress for one week, and many a bargain was picked up. The remaining samples are equally as great values if they happen to be what you want, 20, 25, 33 1-3 and 50 per cent off.

Head straight for JACKSON'S this week, ladies.

If you need an odd piece of Furniture and want your money to do big work, for this exhibition Furniture Sale continued another week offers values possible at no other season of the year. Most of the parlor goods reduced one-half; fine Dining-room Furniture one-third, some one-half; in fact, you will find something in every department. SEE WINDOW DISPLAY.

White tags 20 per cent off, black 25, red 33 1-3, blue 50.

Jackson's Monday Extraordinary Special, 65c a new Colonial glass berry set.....



(Just like cut.) New and attractive design—looks exactly like Bohemian glass, perfect in finish. Nine-piece Berry Bowl and six. \$1.25 VALUE. AN ACTUAL 65c set. One set to a customer. (Terms, Cash. No exchange or C. O. D. orders. POSITIVELY NO DELIVERY.)

65c set

Refrigerators

1 and 1/2 off

Not as many Refrigerators sold this season as usual, owing to the exceptional cool weather. We don't want to carry them over, so we include them in this sale; 1-1/2 off all the small and medium sizes; 1-1/2 off all the larger sizes.

The sanitary odorless kind

White enamel and porcelain lined—impossible to become stale. Furthermore they are ice savers. Have removable ice chamber and shelves. Built on sanitary lines throughout. Cases of solid oak and nicely finished. Every size desired.

You can buy \$20.00 worth of Furniture at Jackson's for \$10.00 per week, and the price is the same, cash or credit. The special tagged pieces during this sale are not 80 days.

You can buy the MONARCH Malleable Steel Range—\$5.00 down and \$1.00 per week. A written guarantee to refund the balance or any part of the MONARCH if it cracks, breaks, brookens or burns out within five years from date of purchase goes with every MONARCH sold.



JULY SURPRISE

THE GREATEST SUCCESS WE'VE HAD—THE SURPRISE SALE HAS TAKEN LIKE WILD FIRE—THE VALUES DID IT—ALL THE ODDS AND ENDS FROM OUR GREAT CLEARANCE SALE SLASHED TO PIECES—SOME SUITS CUT WAY BELOW ACTUAL COST OF MATERIAL—DON'T DELAY YOUR BUYING—THEY MAY BE GONE—SO COME AT ONCE.

TAILOR SUITS

\$15.00 Suits (Like Cut) \$ 6.95
\$18.50 Suits, now \$9.95
\$22.50 Suits, now \$12.45
\$30.00 Tailor Suits, now \$18.50
\$35.00 Tailor Suits, now \$20.00
\$40.00 and \$45.00 Novelty Suits \$25.00

SILK SUITS AND DRESSES

at ONE-HALF their former prices; regular \$12.50 to \$40.00 values, NOW \$4.95, \$10.00, \$15.00 and \$20.00

SKIRTS

\$2.50 Skirts, NOW \$1.45
\$4.50 Skirts, NOW \$2.45
\$6.00 Skirts, NOW \$3.45
In mixtures and Panamas; a full pleated skirt with two folds.

\$8.50. SKIRTS, \$5.00

About 150 of them in Panamas and mixtures; they come in black, blue, brown, navy, green, light and dark; a variety of styles to select from. Alterations free of charge.

SILK SKIRTS

\$15.00 Silk Dress Skirts \$ 8.95
\$18.50 Silk Dress Skirts \$10.00
\$17.50 Money-back Silk Dress Skirts, NOW \$12.50

\$15 VOILE SKIRTS, \$8.45

\$15.50 Voile Skirts \$ 9.95
With silk drop, trimmed with silk bias.

\$17.50 Voile Skirts, NOW \$12.50

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\$27.50 TAILOR SUITS \$15.00

Broken lines; odds and ends in fine Panamas, Serges, nobby mixtures; colors and black; the styles are butterfly, Merry Widow, Broadway dip and Prince Imperials.

OUTING SUITS REPP AND LINEN.

\$12.00 Outing Suits \$4.95
\$15.00 Outing Suits \$6.95
\$25.00 Linen Suits, with lace insertion, now \$14.95

JACKETS SILK JACKETS

\$12.00 Silk Jackets \$6.50
\$13.50 Silk Jackets \$8.50
\$15.00 Long Silk Coats \$9.95
\$22.50 Long Silk Coats \$15.00
\$15.00 Long Black Coats lined throughout with good quality satin; NOW \$10.00

BLACK SILK LACE COATS

\$25.00 Black Silk Lace Coats \$12.50
\$27.50 Black Silk Lace Coats \$15.00

COVERT JACKETS AND COATS

at greatly reduced prices.

NEW NIPPON COATS

at the lowest possible prices.



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N. E. Corner of 11th and Washington, Oakland.



MRS. PHILIP N. MOORE,
President of the National Federation of Women's Clubs.

tional board, four years corresponding secretary, and has now completed her fourth year as first vice-president.

OFFICERS ON NEW BOARD.

Other officers elected for the General Federation were Mrs. Joseph Evans Cowles of Los Angeles, for first vice-president; Mrs. Belle King-Shorman of Chicago, second vice-president; Mrs. Henry H. Dawson, New Jersey, recording secretary; Mrs. Frank W. Shee, Wisconsin, corresponding secretary; Mrs. G. M. Welsh, Minnesota, treasurer; Mrs. Rudolph Blankenburg, Pennsylvania, auditor; and for directors—Mrs. Guy R. C. Allen, Wheeling, W. Va.; Mrs. Philip Carpenter, New York; Mrs. Sarah E. Evans, Portland, Ore.; Mrs. Wm. A. Johnson, Topeka, Kas.; Mrs. C. T. Kinney Valparaiso, Ind.

NOTED PARLIAMENTARIAN.

Mrs. Sherman, who has been elected to the office of second vice-president, is one of the best known parliamentarians in the country, and is the author of a most valuable book on parliamentary law, which has passed through four editions. The title of the volume is "Parliamentary Law at a Glance." Mrs. Sherman is a member of the faculty of the John Marshall Law School in Chicago. She is also the parliamentarian of the Illinois State Federation of Women's Clubs, and has also for years conducted a department of law in the official organ of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Notwithstanding her busy life, Mrs. Sherman is an ideal housekeeper and devoted to her 14-year-old boy.

NEXT MEETING PLACE UNDECIDED.

The city in which the biennial convention will be held in 1910 will not be decided upon until the newly-elected board holds its first meeting. This will probably be in September. It is sincerely hoped by all California women that San Francisco will be the favored city.

ADVISORY BOARD MEETS.

The first meeting of the advisory board of the Daughters of the American Revolution was held at the home of the State Regent, Mrs. Frederick Jewel Laird, last Monday afternoon. At that time the election of a new board of state officers was held. An announcement as to the result will be made next week, as at the present time all of the candidates have not been heard from.

PICNIC AT VACATION PLAYGROUND.

The children at the vacation playground enjoyed their special day this season on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Mikel was chairman for the afternoon and had the assistance of the following ladies: Mrs. C. F. Baker, Mrs. C. B. Barnard, Mrs. John Morse Bartlett, Mrs. E. L. Bartholomew, Mrs. L. H. Barrett, Mrs. Charles S. Booth, Mrs. C. C. Burton, Mrs. N. J. Brown, Mrs. P. R. Chadwick, Mrs. Elizabeth Chambers, Mrs. Ida Crawford, Mrs. Lurana Danison, Mrs. S. L. Everett, Mrs. George Faulkner, Mrs. Laura Titcomb, Mrs. Nellie Nelson, Mrs. S. N. Palmer, Mrs. W. A. Schrock, Mrs. J. M. Scott, Mrs. W. W. Tucker, Mrs. S. Winsor, Mrs. Leon Hall, Mrs. J. F. C. McMath, Mrs. W. D. Smith, Mrs. C. W. Harrison and daughter, and Mrs. Young.

PROVIDE FEAST FOR YOUNGSTERS.

The ladies provided sandwiches and odds for the 447 children who are now enrolled at the playground. A graphophone was sent down and the merriest of tunes were played for the children's enjoyment.

WORK NOT EXPERIMENTAL.

This splendid work is increasing; after-